Sheo Khetan was born in Sitamarhi, Bihar in 1949. He did his BTech from IIT Kanpur. in 1970. He came to Stony Brook, NY in September 1970 and finished MS in Mechanical Engineering. He then did an MBA in finance and continued working in the Semiconductor industry for next 32 years. In 2005, he was downed by a stroke. It took 6 months to recover. Since then, he turned to his original love, old Hindi movies. He has been married to Nirmala since 1976 and they have 4 boys, and 3 daughters-in-law and six grandchildren. Sons are Sanjay, Saurabh, Sameer and Sudhir. The three daughters-in-law are Deepa (Ms. Sanjay), Sarmili (Ms. Sudhir) and Pavitra (Mrs Saurabh). His grandsons are Shaan, Chris, Jaiden, Dilan and Koushik (both Covid boys) and granddaughter is Shreyashi.

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Grandchildren...

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In the center are Sanjay, Sameer, I, Nirmala and Saurabha , with in a sitting position are Sarmili with Jaiden in lap and Sudhir with Shreyashi
In the bottom are Sarmili, Sudhir and Shreyashi
In the top left is Raghunath Bhaiyya holding the grandson Sahil
And in top right it is Sonya who is playing with Jaiden in Deepa's lap

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DEDICATION

This book was completed due to the total cooperation from the following persons
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PROLOG

2011 came with a great beginning. There was no more abyss in our lives. Our lives were running normal with our life in Martinsville, New Jersey and Bhaiyya's life in Troy Michigan.

In 2011, Babooji (Sitaram Tekriwal) visited us with his grandson Vivek and his wife Sumedha. We showed them Niagara, Atlantic City, New York and his niece Angie's engagement to the boyfriend Renzo.

We also had the engagement of my niece Anju khetan with her boyfriend Justine

In 2012 we had another niece, Amrita Bagadia, Neeru's cousin's daughter marry Akshay Nandkumar

And Angie's wedding took place in Tekriwal home. Prior to the wedding I invited the whole Tekriwal family (88 people) to our home in a party

And Anju got married to Justin in Detroit.

In 2012 a superstorm named Sandy hit New Jersey

2012 was the year in which my nephew Amit Khetan got us the good news of the arrival

Of new baby, with baby shower in Ashirwad restaurant

At the end of 2012, we went to India for the wedding of Vishal, Neeru's cousin in Jaipur, Rajasthan. We also took the chance of touring Rajasthan thoroughly

IN 2013 OUR FIRST GRANDCHILD SONYA CAME TO OUR LIVES ON JANUARY 27

It was the first Christmas we celebrated with **STAR SONYA** , the newly born grandchild

In 2013 Sanjay announced that Deepa was pregnant with a child.

In 2014 we had Deepa's baby shower on January 17

AND 2014 WAS THE YEAR WHEN JAIDEN CAME IN OUR LIFE. HE WAS A FIRST GRANDCHILD IN THE KHETAN (NEW JERSEY) FAMILY

In 2014 Sudhir got engaged to Sarmili. For that occasion, Babooji and her other daughter Pratima, Neeru's cousin came to New Jersey

In 2014 we went to India, for Bhat Nootna, for Sudhir's upcoming marriage to Sarmili. We also took advantage of our trip and went to a cruise to Thailand. We attended Raju Chacha's 50th wedding anniversary .and coming back we went to Dubai

In 2015 Sudhir and Sarmili got married in July.

In 2015 September Alka got married to Amit Raghvan at Camelback Resort

In 2015 Christmas there were two **STARS, SONIA AND JAIDEN**

In 2016, we went for a Ocean Cruise of Montreal to Boston

In 2016 we had my nephew Aditya marry Shreya Gupta. We went to India and a tour of Virajpet Mahendra Club and met Mr Anupam Rae my IITK classmate

In 2017 we had two more grandchildren come to our family, Sahil to Vidya and Shreyashi to Sarmili.

This was the first time that our immediate family had seen a girl in our family

In 2017 June we all went to Bangalore and took part in Bhaiyyajee's 50th wedding anniversary

In 2017 Sanjay moved to Chappaqua in July

2011

Sheo Khetan was at Martinsville ,Raghunath Khetan in Troy (Michigan), Alka Coach to Guilt in October but stayed in the same location in Brooklyn, Amit from Goldman Shack to D E Shaw in Manhattan in January , Did have a home in Connecticut, Anju after completing Master of Business Administration, joined McKenzie in San Francisco.

Sanjay was residing at at Rye Brook working for PEPSICO, sameer at Philadelphia at Renessaince center, Sudhir at University of Pennsylvania finishing Ph. D., Saurabh in Pittsburgh finishing his Master of Business Administration

ICAE not running in New Jersey, After 2 years, it stopped, mainly due to lack of instructor

First half involved major upgrades in kitchen area in countertops changed to Granite, a major upgrade >$8k

Kitchen cabinet counter removed

same for range, Counters removed

With Granite

With Granite

Kitchen with new sink and a new water spigot with Granite

I was involved in Indian Associates of Somerset County as Trustee in 2011-13

April-May I visited Kanodiyajee's home for Anoop's engagement. There we also visited Mr Bhim Singh (Raghunath Bhaiyya's friend), who was recovering from a tough Brain operation

In May we were invited to Amit's home in Connecticut. Bhabhi was there and we attended.

We visited Saurabh in Pittsburgh in April (May)

On the way to Pittsburgh, stopped at Moundsville Hare Krishna temple with Sameer

Saurabh and Mom Strolling in temple compound

Temple Garden

Then we came to Saurabh's place and went around Pittsburgh

JUST DUCKY TOURS

A ducksmobile (it’s a duck shaped driving machine and it can run on the roads as well as water)

y 2015
JUST DUCKY TOURS
402-DUCK

Pittsburgh Ducky tours on duckymobile===== watch the tires get lost in the water

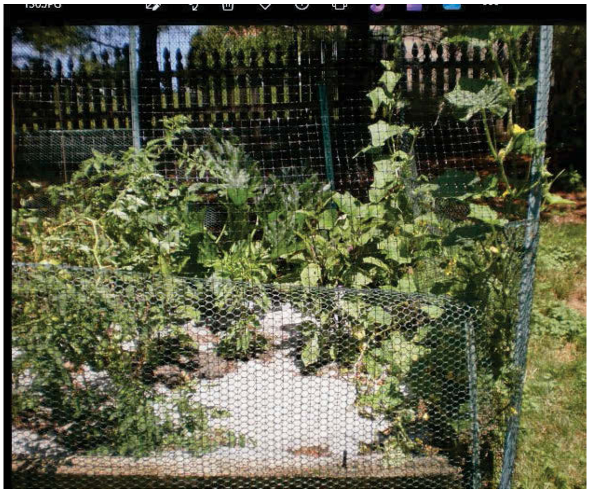
In Pittsburgh we visited Carnegie Mellon University, where Saurabh was pursuing an Master of Business Administration degree

We also went to the PNC Park stadium and watched a Pirates -vs-Mets baseball game

Pittsburgh PNC stadium

This year our home garden was blooming fast

in April-May

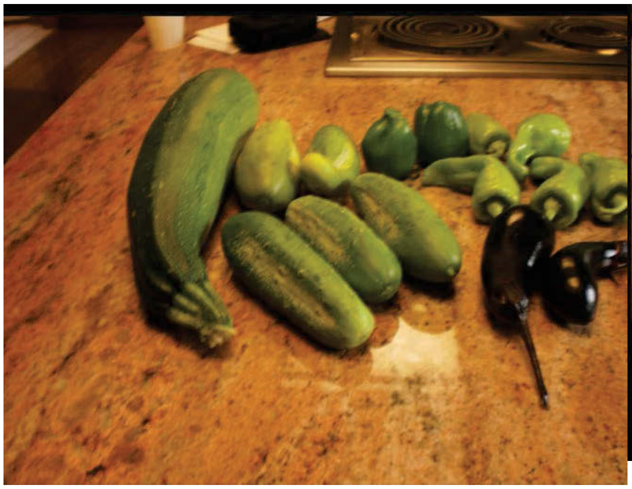


June

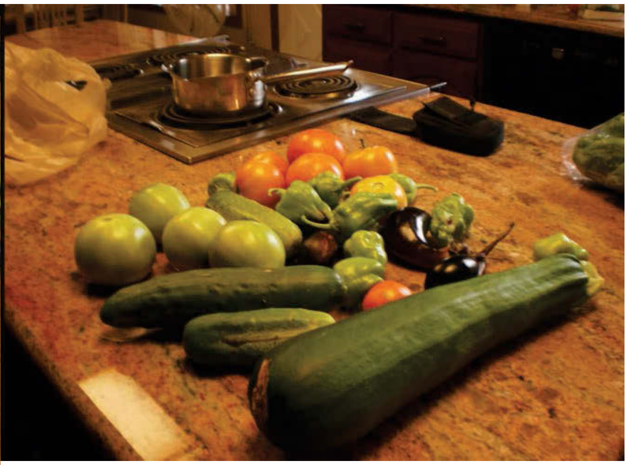
in July

in late July ---see Tomatoes

in July August the garden started giving harvest



Garden Harvest 1



Garden Harvest 2

On 7/3 Prateek Lal, the son our good friends Sri BB lal (Srivastava) and Kusum got married to Kristin in

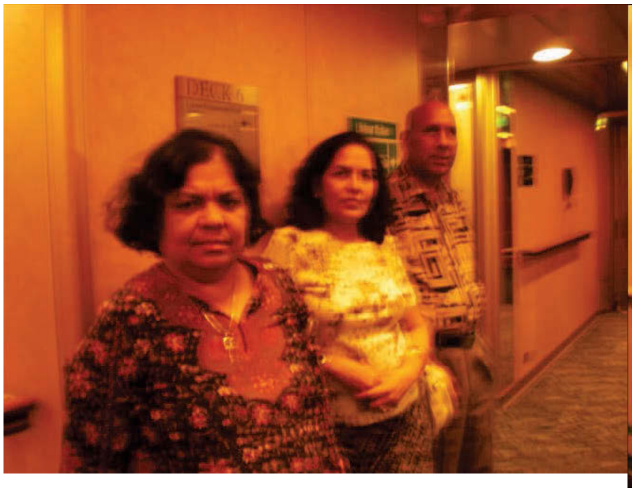
Monterey

California. We had the invitation but could not attend it

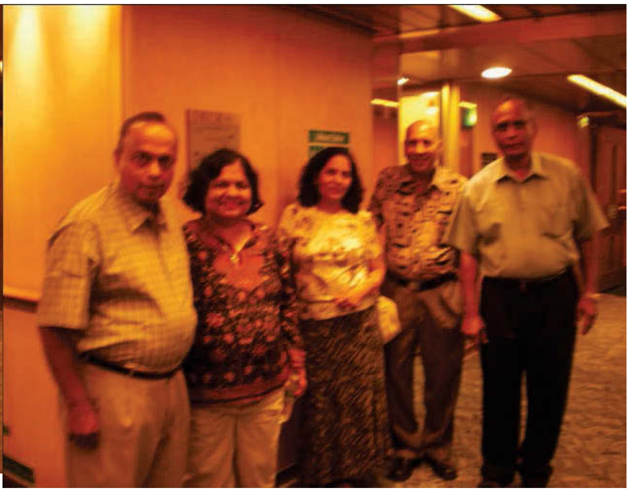
On 7/11 we rook new mortgage, 3% for 8 years (fixed) under our Khetan Living Trust

8/14 to 8/21 we went on a Holland America cruise to Bermuda with Mittals and Singhs

The cruise was good, but could not enjoy fully due to Jagwati Bhabhi getting sick on the ship

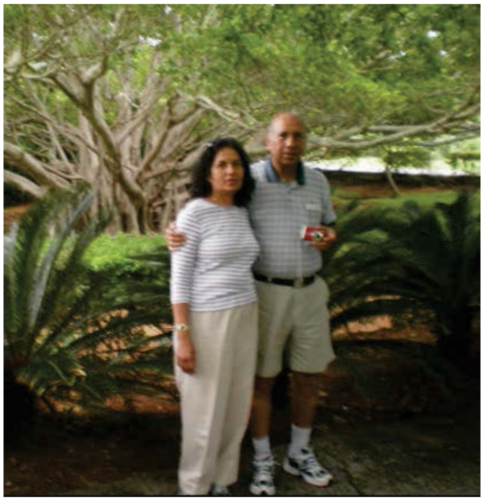


Neeru, Sushma and Dinesh outside our quarters

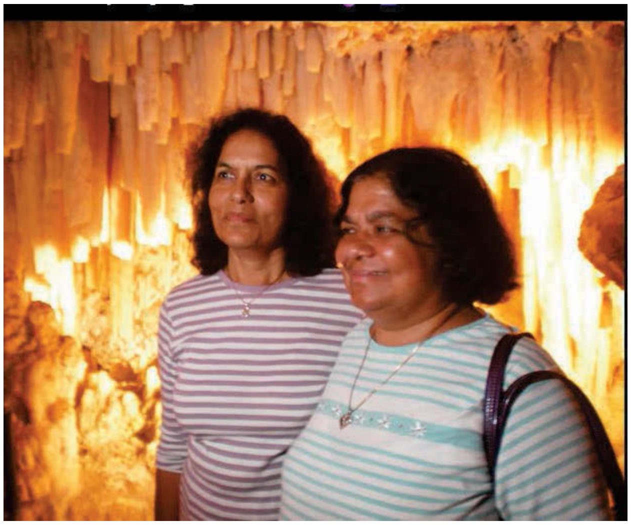


Khetans, Mittals and Omvir

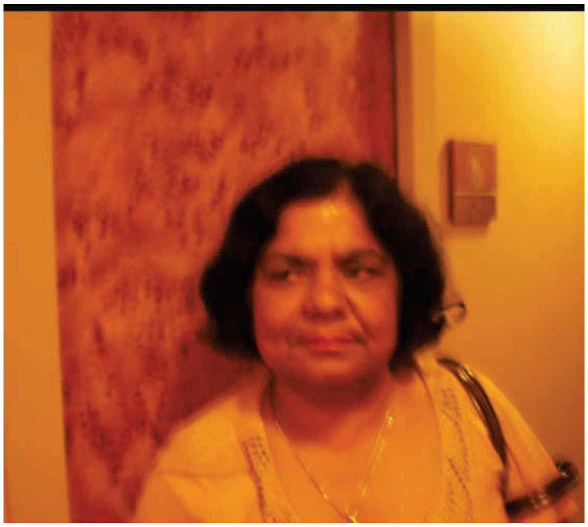
Omvir, Jagwati and Neeru



Mittals



Sushama and Neeru



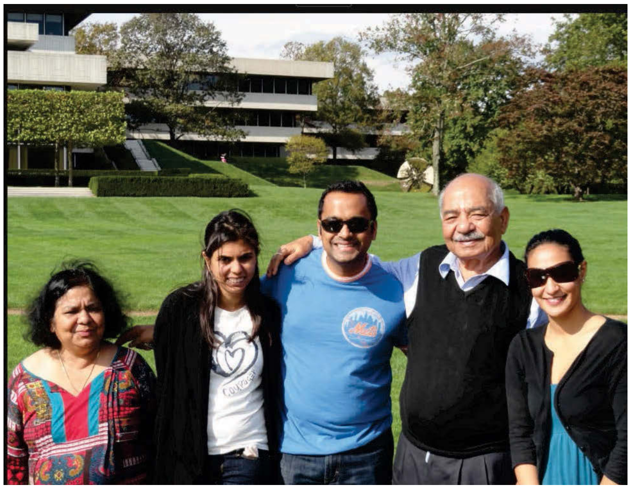
Neeru

September 21 to October 25, Babooji came from Calcutta for a visit to USA, He brought with him his grandson Vivek and his wife Sumedha

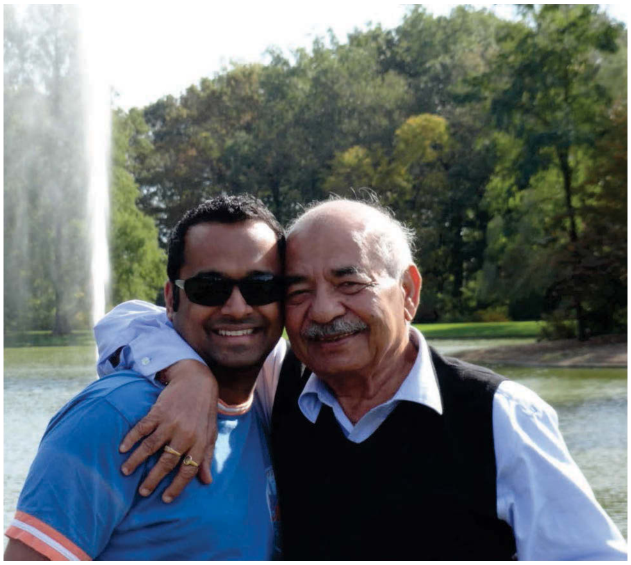
We took them to Atlantic city, PEPSICO headquarters where Sanjay worked, Niagra falls and Poconos to see the 'Niagara' of Pennsylvania---The Bushkill Falls and upstate New York for apple picking

Sameer, Sanjay, Vivek, Saurabh, Sudhir, Deepa and Sumedha in New York City

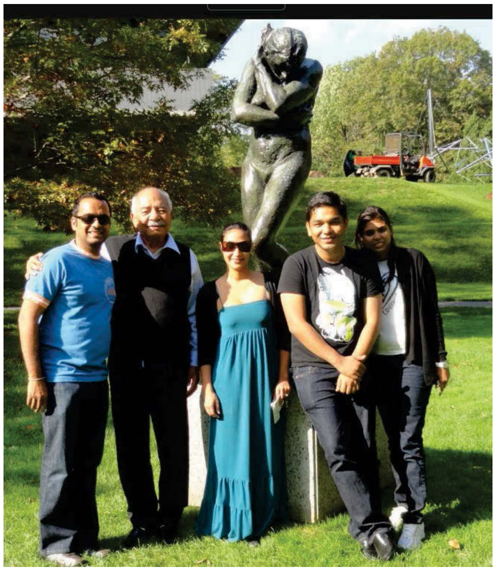
Babooji, I and Neeru



Neeru, Sumedha, Sanjay, Babooji, and Deepa at PEPSI headquarters



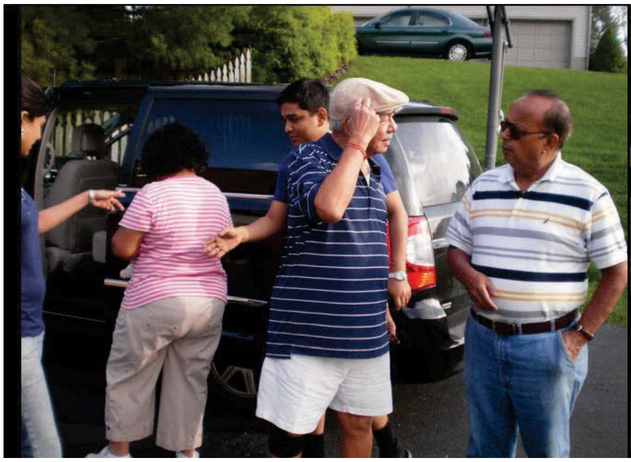
Sanjay and Babooji



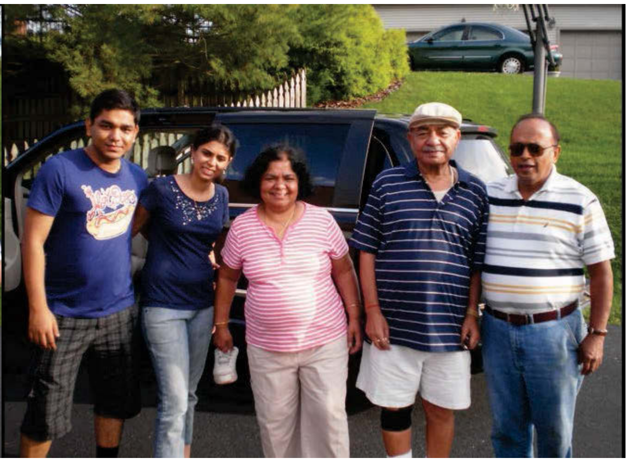
Sanjay, Babooji,Deepa,Vivek and Sumedha

Apple picking I and Sanjay

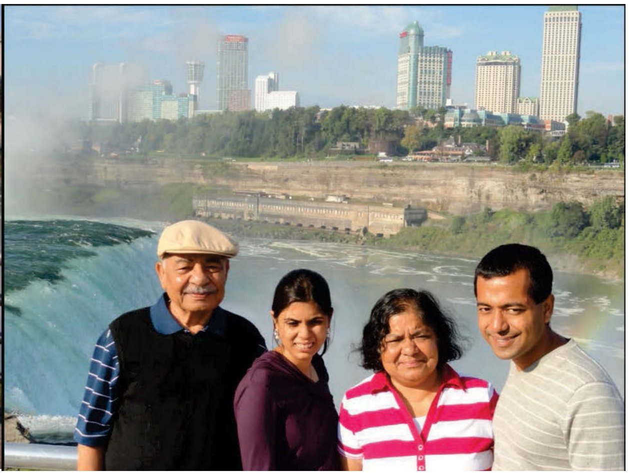
We all went went to Niagara

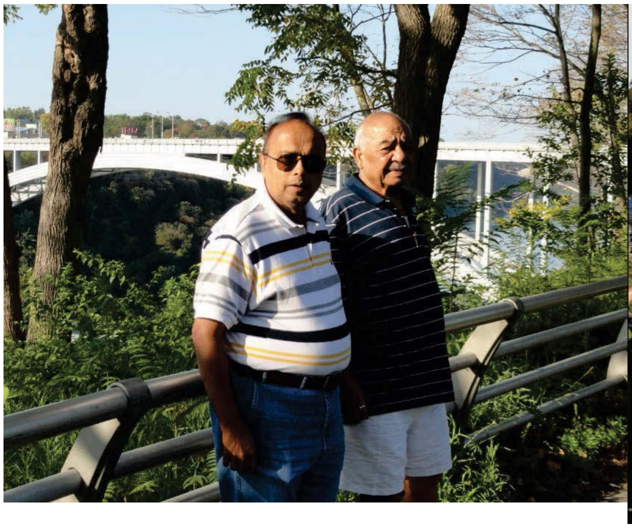


All getting ready to go to Niagara



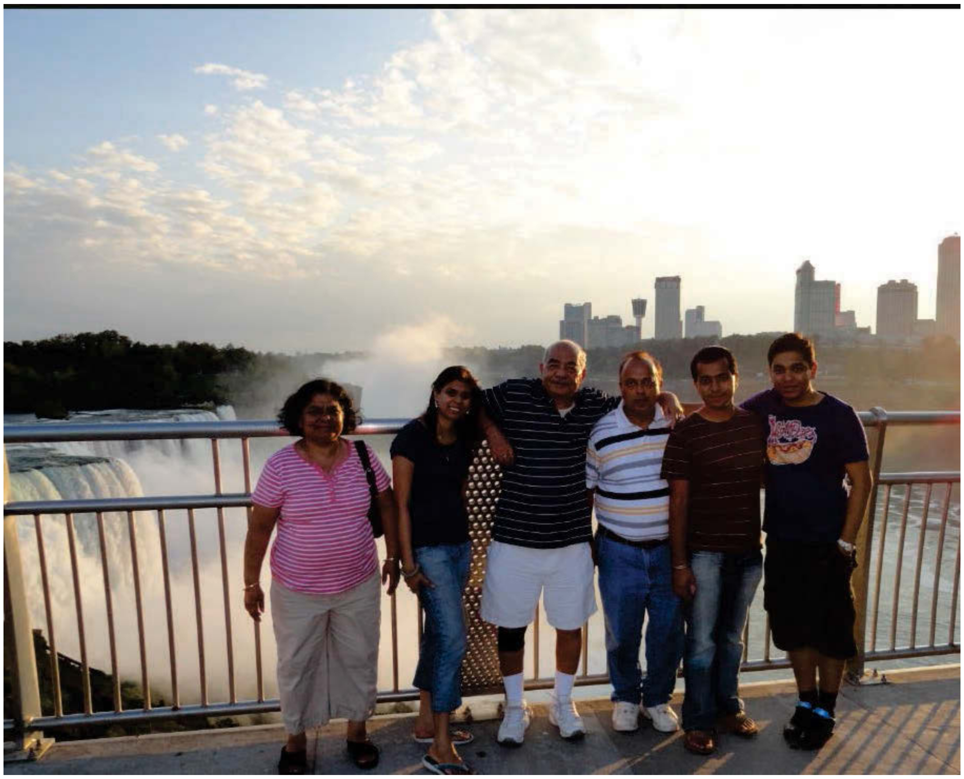
All set to go for Niagara





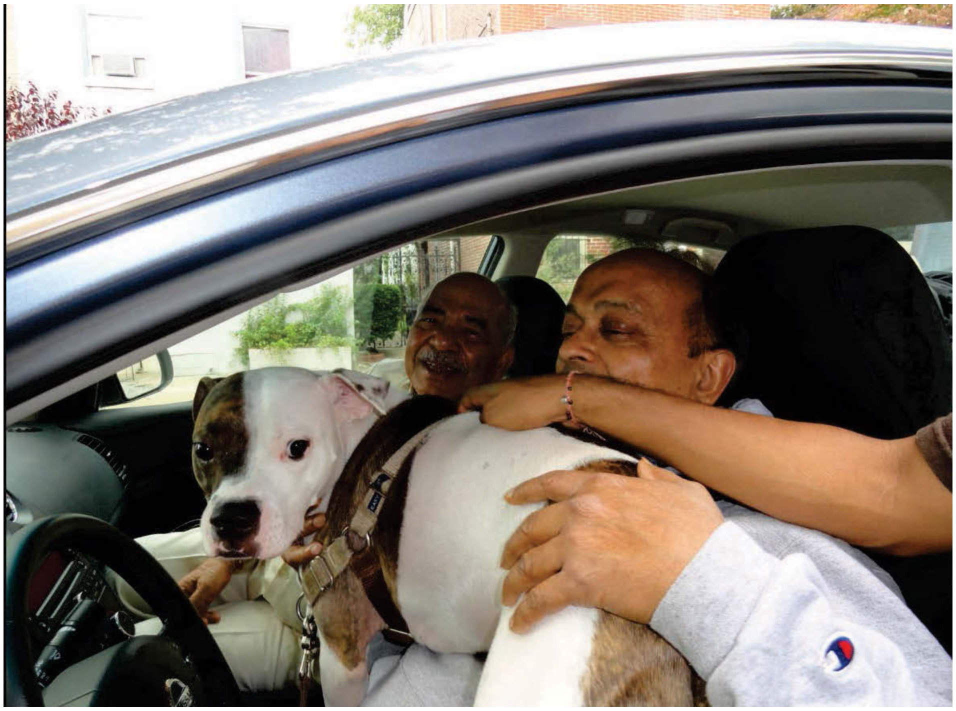
I and Babooji at Niagara

I, Babooji and Sumedha



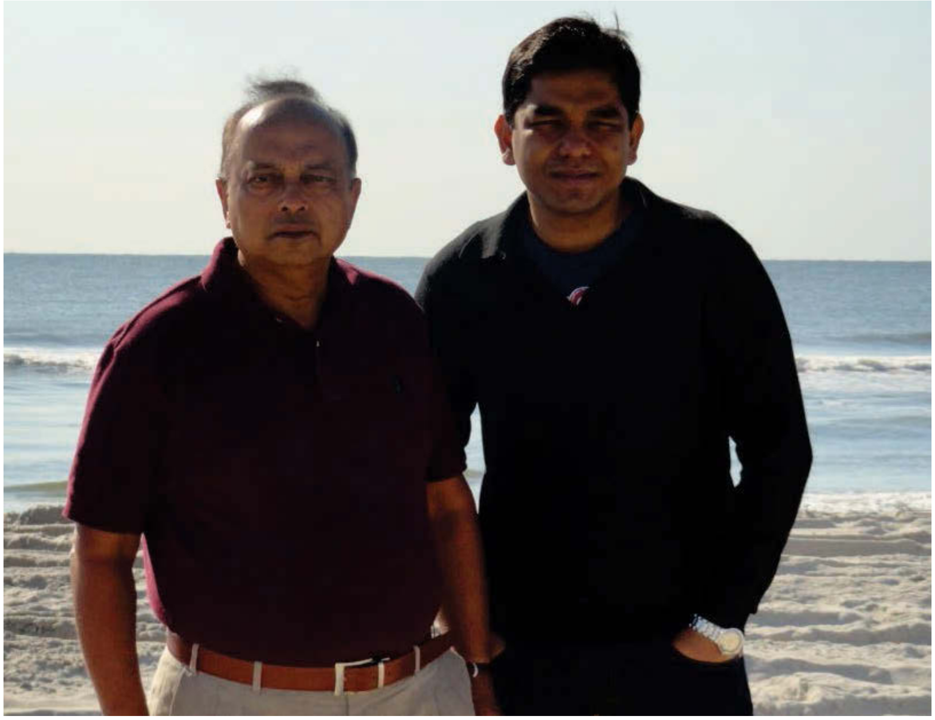
Neeru,Sumedha, Babooji, I, Sameer and Vivek at Niagara

We went to Philadelphia



The dog that sameer had -MARLRY in Philadelphia

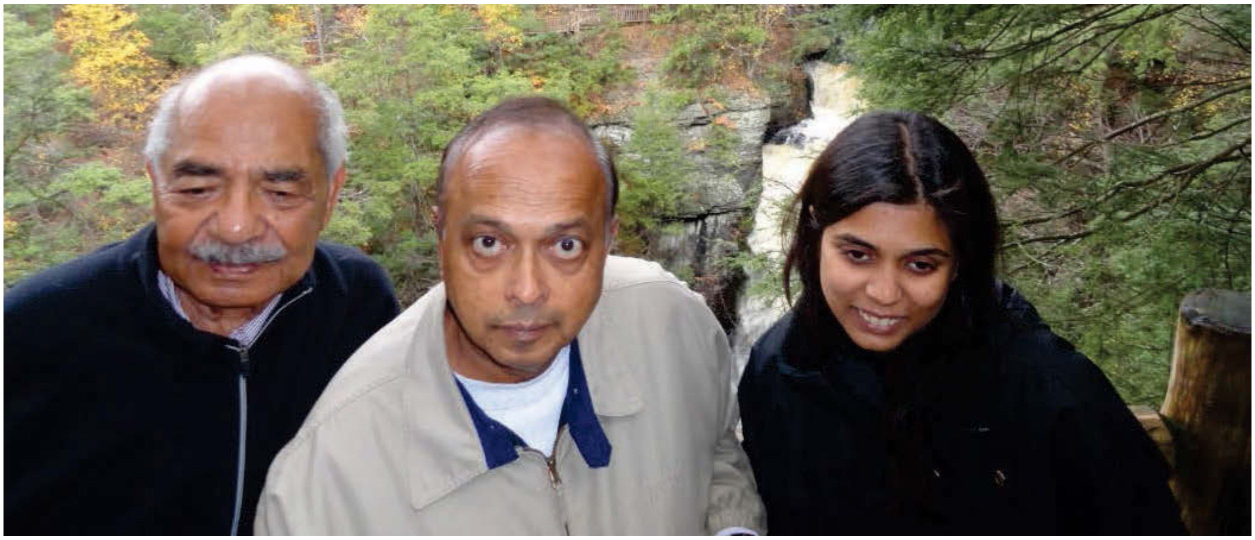
We went to Atlantic City



Sheo and Vivek at Atlantic Beach

we went to Poconos

Neeru, Babooji, I, Sumedha and Vivek in visit to Bushkill falls, Poconos



Babooji, I and Sumedha

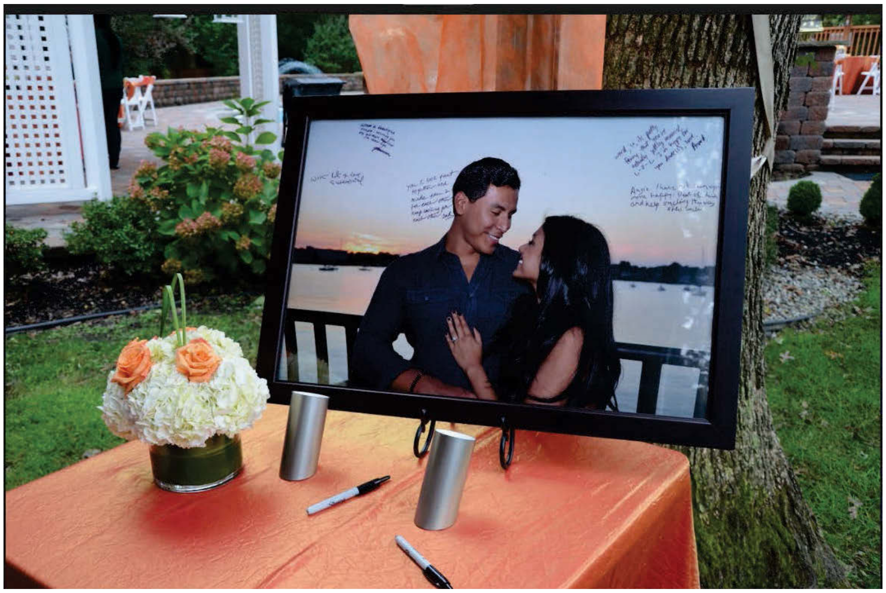
I and Neeru

At Bushkill Falls, Vivek got really scared and ran away from a snake he saw. In Poconoes we rented an apartment and cooked food ourselves, I still remember Sumedha cooking up an Aloo Bhaji, with Aloos cut in thin but long angle, It tasted good though, and we still miss it today

On October 1, we were invited to Anjie Tekriwal's engagement Party to Renzo Batistella and we attended that

Sumedha, Sheebu chacha, Vivek, Babooji and Sameer at Tekriwal house for Anjie's engagement

Babooji, Saurabh, I, Sheebu chacha, Neeru and Vivek at Tekriwal house for Angie's Engagement



The Engaged couple…...............Renzo and Anjie

Mahesh Baboo with Renzo and Anjie

The whole family gathered at Anjie's engagement

All the ladies gathered for Anjie's engagement

The priest doing The Engagement pooja with Renzo and Anjie

The Priest, Renzo and Anjie at the Engagement with all the guests

Vivek, Sunil B, Sumedha, Suman, Saurabh and Surendra after the engagement

The group photograph of all the engagement attendees after the engagement

Aakash, Sonal, Anika, Sameer, Sudhir, Vasudha, Anita, Yash

Yash, Harish, Saurabh and Vivek

And finally , Mahesh and Asha Tekriwal….the bride's parents

And the engaged couple----Renzo and Anjie

On October 12, Our very close friends (Prem and Jaya Gupta) daughter Monika and her husband had a son born to them-----Nikhil Raj Jain

On november 11, Amit left Golman Sachs and joined D E Shaw

On 11/21 Sudhir was going to India to attend the wedding of his friend Pooja Goenka. Due to having no VISA in hand he had to wait a day and get VISA from India's consulate. This took one day, and he left USA on 11/22 for next 2 weeks.

On 11/26 Anju's engagement were celebrated at her Mamaji, Mr Nand Todi's house

Both, to be engageds with their parents, Pandit and rest of family members during Pooja Ceremony

All the relatives gathered in Todiji's house for the Engagement

The freshly engaged couple Justin Martin and Anju Khetan

Anju's bade mamaji Nand Todi and cousine Sanjay Khetan

Anju's uncle (chacha) Sheo Khetan with Justin and Justin's mom Terry

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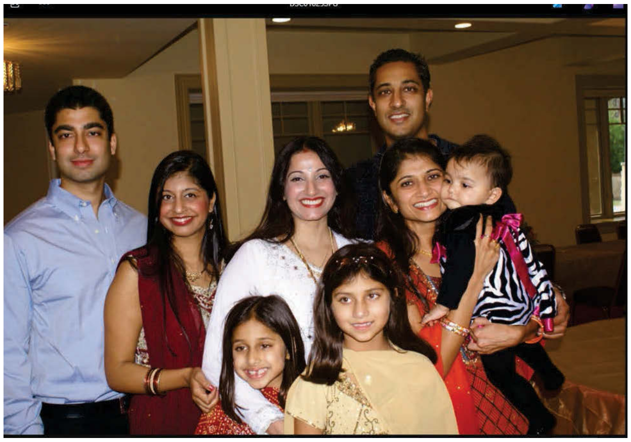
Both the dads Jack martin and Raghunath Khetan

Raghunath , Jack, Terry and Alka in place

of Alka's mom

Chachi feeding Sweets to Justin



The jubilant Todi family, Bhabhiji Shashi Todi Suchitra, Neelam, Saira and Simran

Naveen, Nisha,Suchitra,Neelam with Pradeep and Asit, Saira and Simran

At the time of Anju's marriage, Neelam was still with Asit and they had three kids and Naveen was still with Suchitra.

On 12/12 ,I had my colonoscopy, which found my colon to be free of any cancer. The colonoscopy was done at Cardio Surgery center of NJ, 1132 Spruce Drive, Mountain Side

This year our Christmas get together took place at Neelam's place. Bhaiyya, Bhabhi also attended

2012

Sheo and Neeru still in Martinsville , Raghunath Bhaiiyya and Prem Bhabhi in Troy, Alka with Guilt , in Brooklyn, Amit at Wall Street firm D E Shaw , home in Connecticut, and Anju in McKenzie in San Francisco

Sanjay and Deepa at Rye Brook, Sanjay at Pepsi, Deepa Public relations; Sam in Philadelphia (Renaissance Center); Sudhir at U Penn, finished Ph D 7/3, Teaching job at Union College, NY, Saurabh in Pittsburgh with Sunoco

Sheo was IASC trustee, also involved in SCAAHMCC

1/1/12 Mani's place party, who invited all the Bridgewater friends

January 3 to January 9 Saurabh went to Cancun trip

5/19/12 we had a party at home to welcome Jaya/Prem, inviting Janak Vora, Pradeep Jalan,

Braj Agrawal and Ajai Jain

Amrita wed Akshay Nandkumar on 5/27/12 , 5/26 to 5/28 (memorial Day)

Akshay and Amrita

Amrita and Akshay

The crowd at the wedding

Amrita dancing with mom

Akhshay dancing with Amrita

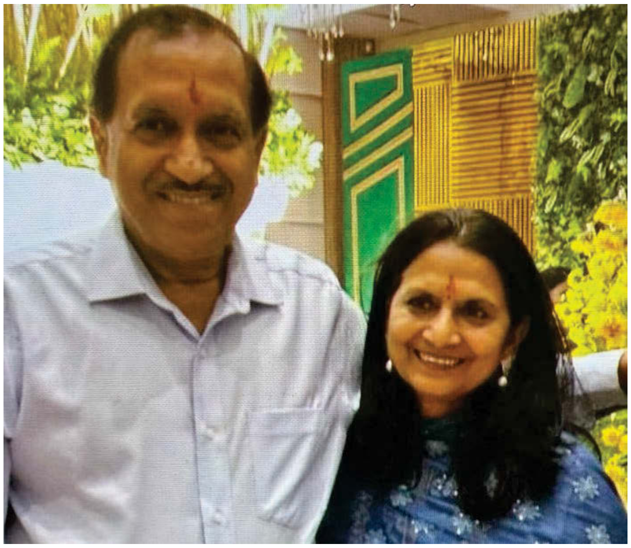
All four brothers at Amtita's wedding

Sanjay and Deepa at Amrita's wedding

Sameer and Sudhir at Amrita's wedding

6/11 Sushil Bhaiyya's throat cancer operation was done by Dr Poddar

Sushil Bhaiyya

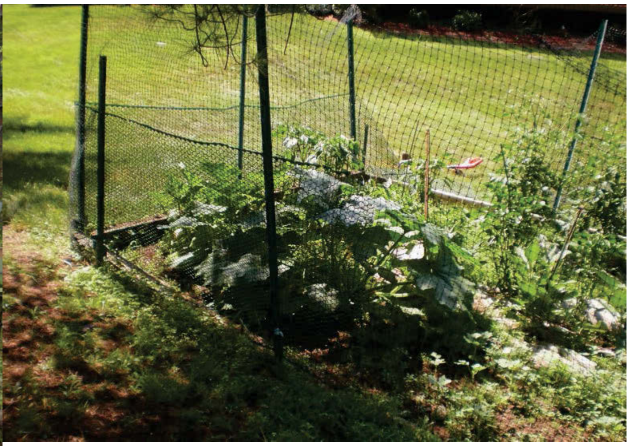


Dr Anil and Archana Poddar

On 6/7 Sushil Bhaiyya felt that he had an ulcer in his mouth.He showed this to a dentist who removed his 2 teeth and suspected more. Then on 6/10 they went to an oncologist, who happened to be the husband of my cousin sister Archana (the daughter of my uncle from Sitamarhi, Sri Krishna Kumar Shroff). The Doctor performed an ultrasonogram of the neck and determined cancer. The throat had to be operated and cancer was successfully removed.

4-7/2012 Just as every year this year too we were busy in Garden growing

Garden as planted in April-May 2012

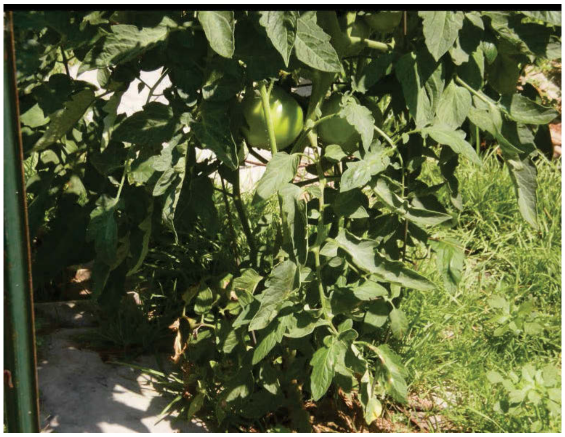


Garden Grown Zucchini plants May-June 2012

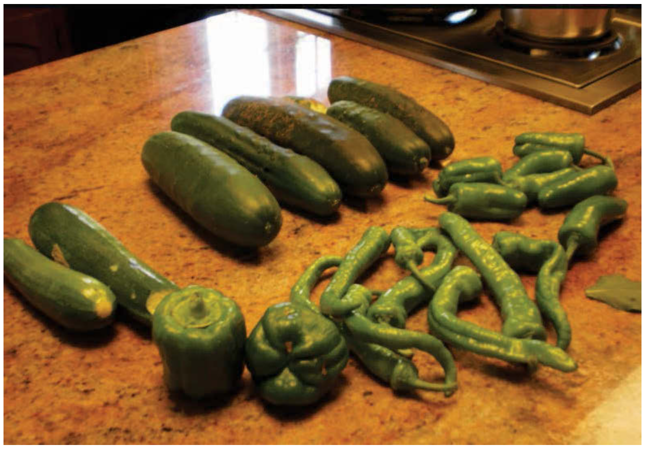
Garden Growth Pepper

Garden Okra, Pepper and Cucumber

Tomatoes 1



Tomatoes 2



Harvest 1 July

7/3/12 Sudhir finished PhD at University of Pennsylvania, and joined at Union College NY during 8/12; Anand attended his thesis presentation

7/19 Sheebu Chacha , 7/21 Gora, 7/23 Pallavi, 7/23 Poonam came home for Angie's wedding

Angie's wedding was set on 7/28. Almost all the Tekriwals from India were invited. They came here for wedding. So I had a party on 7/25 for all wedding invitees at our home. We had a big tent in the backyard to welcome all. We had food for everyone from Pooja restaurant and welcomed all (88 people)

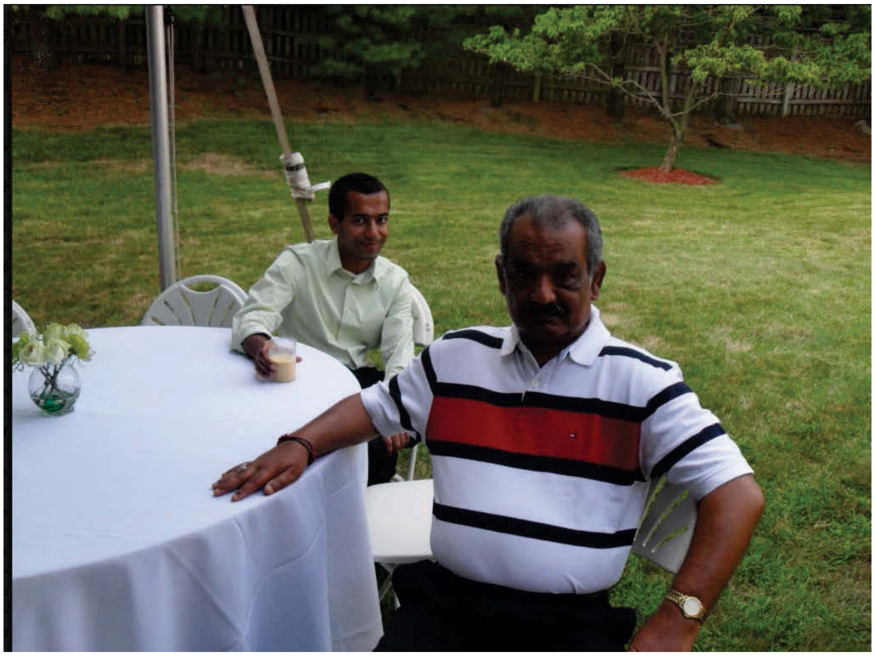
Our home, pre Anjie wedding party, Gora Bhabhi and Sharda Chachi

First af all, everyone was greeted with welcome drink. Then all the people went through the Pooja's food

After eating, all were relaxed and evening started happening all were asked to get into the tent

Poonam   and Deepa take place in the tent

Juhi in the tent



Sudhir and Sajan get into the tent

Afterwards we all settled in we all went into the tent

Listening to speakers about their family, and their plans for future. This was done by HUF (Hindu Undivided Family)…and since I was the Son in Law of eldest parent (Sitaramji) So Sanjay (started in place of me) and you can see that Sharda Chachi and I are rapped in Listening to him

Sunil B and Sanjiv in the tent

Speeches go on and tent-dwellers respond enthusiastically

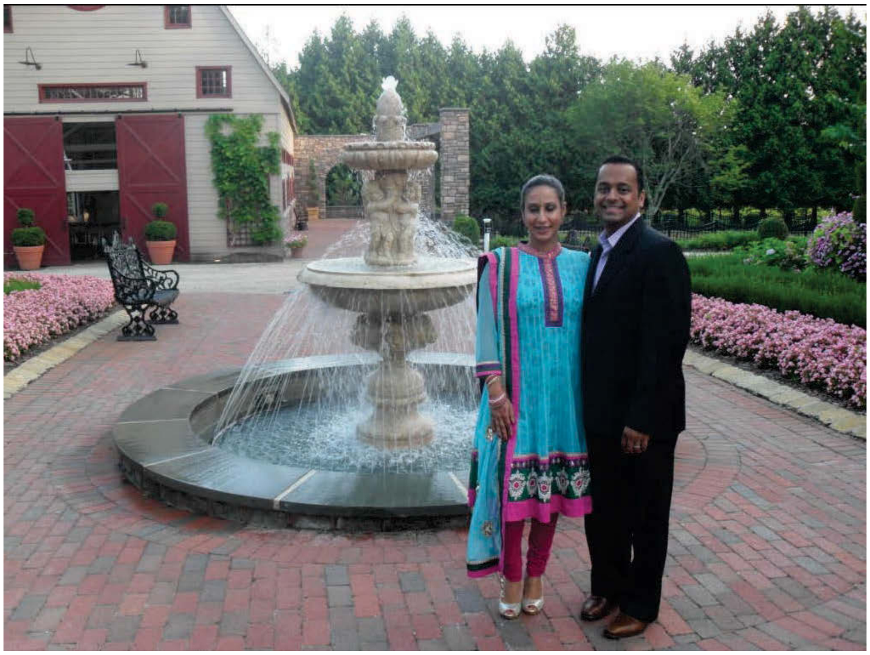
Another speechmaker goes in…......

In the tent we had a Penyatta installed, so at the end of the party, all kids could play and LOOT candies

Angie's wedding was set on 7/25 at Ashford Estate, New Jersey . We all gathered there

Our family members gathered at the wedding site. Deepa, Sudhir, I, Saurabh, Mom. Sameer and Sanjay

All youngster queens in one spot

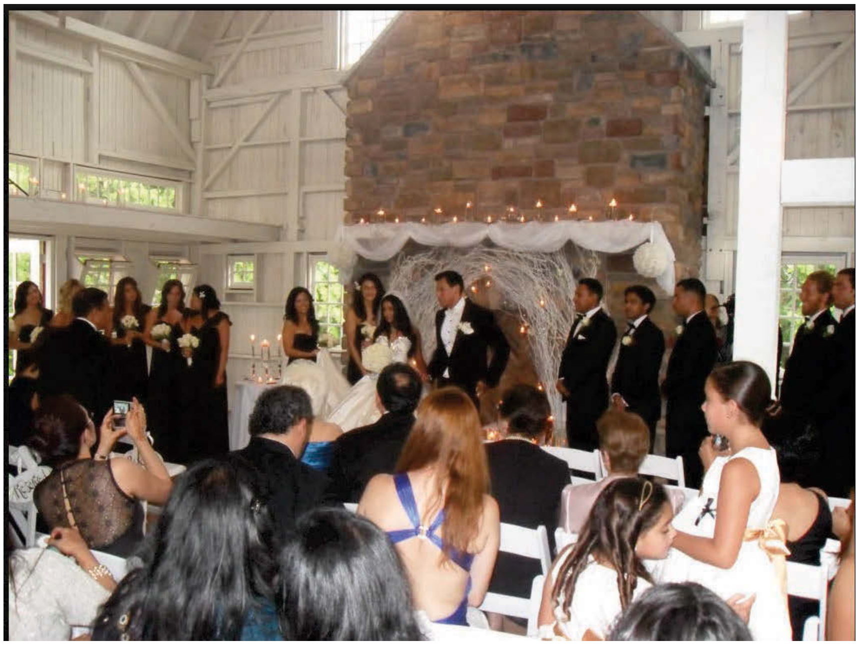


Deepa and Sanjay by the site

All 4 brothers with Amit Jijaji (Pallavi's husband) around

All the people seated in the hall

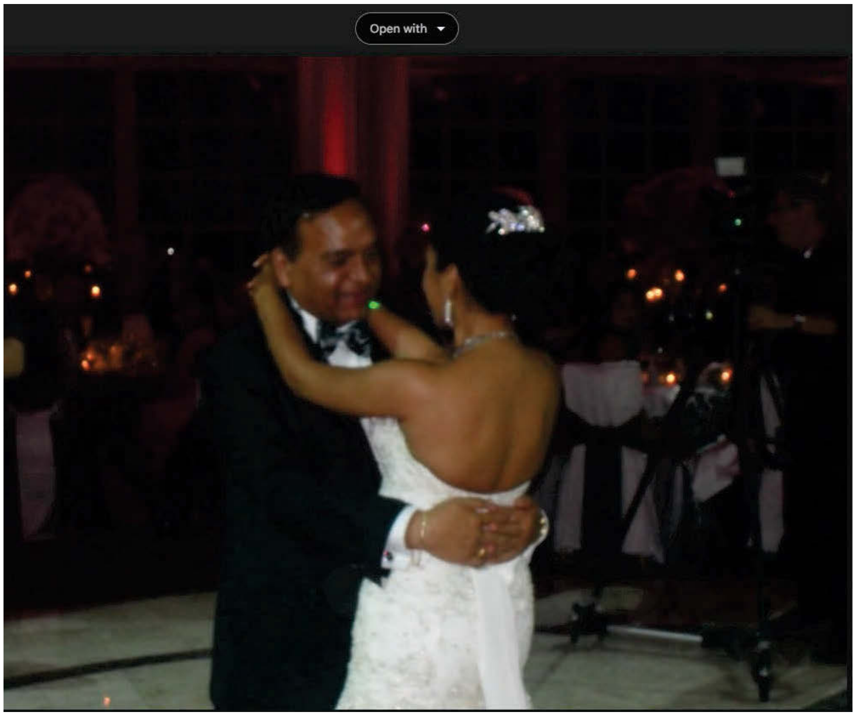
The Mom (Asha Tekriwal) making entry with Anand Tekriwal (the brother)



Bride and Groom at the Mandap with Bridesmaids and Groomsmen

Angie and Renzo looking at the wedding Cake

After marriage First dance by Renzo and Anjie



The Father (Mahesh Tekriwal) and Daughter (Anjie) dance

All 7 brothers, All chachis except Ashaji and Neeru and Sajan

Mahesh Baboo had arranged for a giant Raksha Bandhan Ceremony includimg all the Sisters from India and here and all the brothers from here going from one station to next station

One example of that was when Saurabh had his Rakhi tied by his cousin Amrita

Amrita tying raakhi to Saurabh

8./11/12 Anju's wedding with Justin Martn happened in Michigan

We reached Bhabhi's home on Wednesday August 8th. On Wednesday evening we had a Ganesh Pooja at home. The Ganesh Pooja, we had our photoes taken with Anju and Justin

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Deepa, Sudhir, Anju, I , Neeru; Back---- Sanjay, Justin and Sameer on 9th, Thursday, we all moved to Doubletree Hotel in Dearborn Michigan

There we had the Mehandi in the evening. There we had the Pithi in the evening on 10th

Anju Pithi ceremony----Alka applying pithi to Anju

Anju Pithi ceremony--Saurabh applying pithi to Anju as I watch

In the evening, we moved to Farminton Manor in Farmington Hill for Sangeet

Deepa and Sanjay in Sangeet

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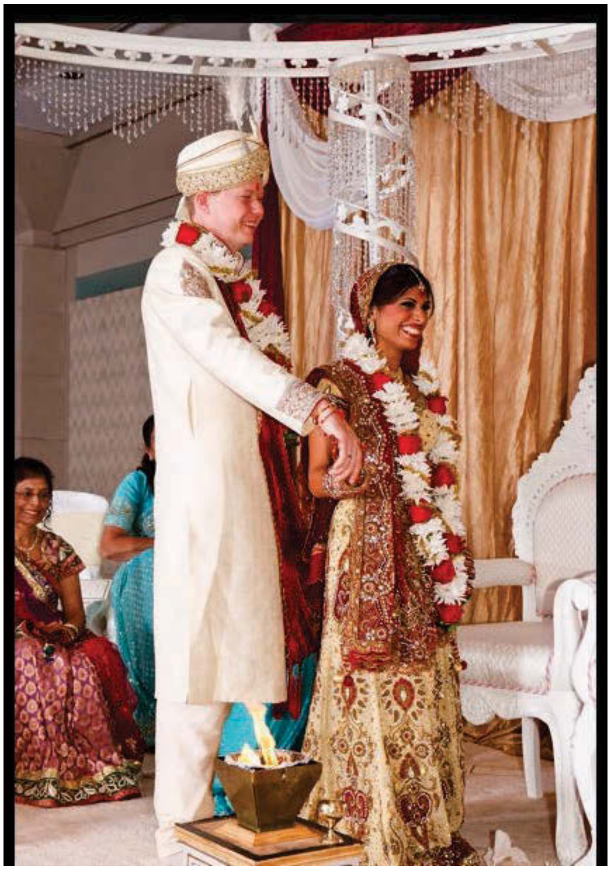
Some of the Sangeet listeners were active in Sangeet Dancing

Additional Sangeet premis dancing

on 11 th, we moved to Hyatt . There was Barrat for Indian wedding

First, the indian wedding, took place



Indian Wedding----Justin and Anju

After Indian wedding, American wedding also took place

After weddings the newlyweds had a photograph with our family

The newlyweds (Justine and Anju) with our complete family

Our Family, Bhaiyya's family (except Anju and justin) and Shanti & Manjari

August 18, Manmohan Subuddhi's sons wedding in Long Island

9/28 We had a get together of our old IITK friends from my batch. We had lunch at Moghyl with Ajai, Prem, and Vipin. Vipin was visiting from California with Ajai,Prem, and Vipin. Vipin was visiting from California.

Suddenly on 10/29/12 a major storm, 'SANDY' hit New Jersey

the following is the description written by me for India people

On Monday , 10/29/12, a fierce hurricane came over a wide area. The storm was centered around New Jersey with its wide wings over the entire east coast , around 600 miles. It was reported as the worst storm ever to hit our area, Even though it was only category 1 hurricane, unlike the category 5 that hit new Orleans a few years ago, the difference was that it was on northeast coast , where hurricanes are rarely seen and it encompassed the extremely large area. The storm carried winds of 80 - 90 miles per hour. It did not carry too much water with it.

The trouble started with losing power on Monday evening about 6:30 pm. Soon everywhere it became dark and at 8:00 pm, we went to bed just as the winds from the storm hit the house. For 3 hours the storm continued. It appeared as if all the roof shingles will fly away with the storm. The sound was extremely violent and fierce. We just tried to sleep and then it passed.

The effect of this was seen the next day. No power, no signal lamps, all the roads littered with down trees and wires. We lost two pine trees. They were 25 year old 30ft trees and they were uprooted with their root system about 10 feet at the bottom, Our basketball pole also came down. This was an effect I had not seen in the life ever. Needless to say that the worst hit areas were the coastal areas where the damage was astronomical along seasides of New Jersey, New York, Long island etc. The President Obama and Governor Christie mobilized the complete federal infrastructure including FEMA, Military, military’s planes etc.

It is not possible to come out of such an incident in a trivial time. Power outage means no heat and it was October November ---means almost freezing temperature at night---. We stayed here for 2 days, hoping something would be done, but in the neighborhood downed wires of powerline remained as is so we decided to move out to Sanjay’s place on Wednesday.

Sanjay lives in Rye Brook, in upstate New York, where the storm was felt (about 3-4 hour of power outage), a place about 1 hour and 20 minutes from home by car. We gathered all the essentials in the car, (luckily our car had ½ tank full---because 95% of all stations were shut down, and the open ones had _2 mile long lines---a wait of 4-6 hours to fill the tank) and by 3 pm went to rye brook. In here we had power, heat and most importantly internet, with which we could communicate with the world.

The next day we got a message that our power was restored (I do not know how, I had estimated 7-8 days, that was the forecast from the power company also, all the trees and power lines were still down, but somehow our power was restored). We did not have gas in our car, we went all around Rye Brook for an hour in search for the gas, but without success. Finally Sanjay's second car had half a tank , we left our car there and came back in Sanjay's car

It was Thursday. We thought our trouble had minimized, the only problem we had was that we had no gasoline and all the roads were still blocked etc.

We took our mind off the trouble and concentrated on 2 parties we had planned on Friday and Saturday, We had planned Karwa chauth at a friend 's home on Friday and Diwali party at our place on Saturday, Both parties went well, even though only 60-70% of the guests appeared

For Saturday , Sanjay (in our car fully gassed up) , Sameer (from Philadelphia—minimun damage) and Sudhir (from near Albany NY no damage) came. Sanjay had spent ~2 hours in filling my car

We were happy, the storm had no water damage, no basements filling , it looked like other troubles were going away slowly…some more power restored, Gas lines were shorter, the governor had odd/even gas rationing implemented etc-----but---- lines were shorter, the governor had odd/even gas rationing implemented etc-----but----

Suddenly on Monday (5th) evening power was lost. The same routine occurred. We slept , but in the morning almost at freezing temperatures, we got out of the house and in took shelter in nearby mall . We stayed there, charged phones and computer, got internet in Star bucks coffee, ate breakfast and then came to the polling station to poll (it was the president's election---being run in the irregular polling station without power, using a generator). Then we started for Rye Brook again. It was going to be the biggest TV day of 4 years, from 6 pm till Midnight all the polling results would be announced on tv----no way we were going to miss it without power. And the reason for our outage was not known, and neither did we know when will the power be back

So, evening we spent in Rye Brook ..warm atmosphere, celebrating Barack Obama's victory.

Right there in Rye Brook, we got the message that our power had come back about 8 pm

So this morning at 9:00 o'clock we started back and came to our home to wait for another storm—a Noreaster. It started snowing since 12 o'clock. I am watching the snow as it is accumulating on the trunks of the downed trees from family room. Hopefully lights wont go but you never know

watching the snow as it is accumulating on the trunks of the downed trees from family room. Hopefully lights wont go

These have been the 8 most 'FUN FILLED' days in our lives in United States…….

The present status

Our area :

The power, heat, phone and internet are on

The gas rationing is on, but the current wait at the station is minimum

About ½ of the roads are ok now

Some signals are on, even though Major roads like Route 22 has no signal

Most of the area has the roads cleared of down trees and lines etc. the debris is pushed on to the lawns, not cleared yet

Most trees are still down. They are slowly getting removed as the tree people remove them

Coastal areas :

Totally 5 million people had lost power. About 4 million have power now. Remainder are mostly along the coasts

Emergency crews working day and night, Probably will take 2 months to repair all the damage

11/3 Diwali party (shortened) at our home, 11/10 Jaya's diwali party. And 11/10 Shiv Gupta's party that I could not go, and Dheeraj's party got canceled

All parties were thus affected

11/22 Naval/Bina's 25th wedding annniversary was celebrated in Washington DC

The Groom and Bride (Naval and Bina)

Bhaiyya, Bhabhi, Naval and Bina

Nand Bhaisaheb. Naval, Bina, Shashi Bhabhiji and Prem habhi

Prem Bhabi, Raghunath Bhaiyya, Bina, Naval, I and Neeru

Saurabh and Niket in a skit

Sameer and Sudhir in a skit

Saurabh in a speech

11/24 We attended the Vidya and Amit's baby shower in Chand Palace

Vidya's Babyshower in Chand Palace---Sameer, and Sudhir measure the waistline of Vidya

Vidya's Babyshower at Chand Palace, Neeru does Tilak to Amit

Vidya baby shower at Chand Palace, Neeru does tilak to Vidya

Vidya baby shower at Chand Palace, Prem bhabhi gives gift to Vidya

Baby Shower

Vidya's Baby shower in Chand Palace---standing Nirmala, Sheo,Todiji, Bhabhiji (Mrs Todi)

Prem Bhabhi, Raghunath Bhaiyya, Naval and Bina, Sitting --Amit and Vidya (with new Baby)

Vidya's Babyshower in Chand Restaurant----Standing Nirmala, Sheo, Sanjay and sitting Sudhir, Amit, Vidya and Sameer

On 26th November we went from Newark to Bombay to attend several wedding parties

First of all from Bombay, we went to Jaipore for Vishal's(Bijoy Chachaji's Son) wedding, which was scheduled from November 27 to November 29 with Aditi. There in the marriage all Tekriwals were involved. Babooji, Pratima, Sushil Baboo, Gora Bhabhi, Sajan Bhaiyya etc came from Calcutta.

Vishal' marriage was in Jaipore hotel. All (babooji's) brothers were there. After marriage was complete we had Vishal's reception at the old fort of Jaipore Rajah

(Now converted to tourist spot). The arrangements for reception were very luxurious

In Jaipore , my Sitamarhi Friend Gopal Saraogi also lived. We went and visited him on 30 th November

28/11/2012

Vishal Aditi ---Newlyweds

Bijay Chacha Vishal's Dad

28/11

All Brothers including Babooji

All brothers during wedding

29/11/2012

Sheo and Neeru Breakfast Jaipur

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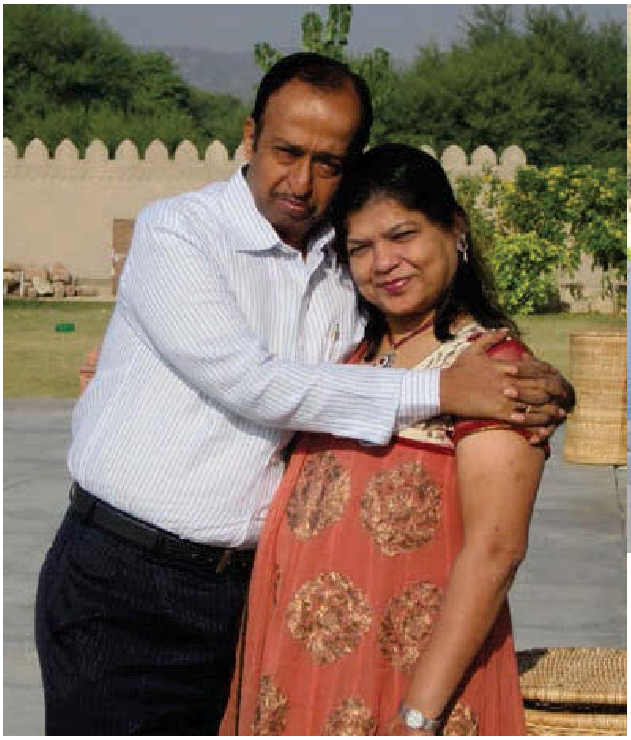
Sheo Neeru in Jaipur Hotel



Sushil Baboo and Pratima in Hotel

Both the sisters

Babooji Breakfast Jaipur Hotel

Neeru and Sheo

After Jaipur we (Ganeriwals, Khetans and Babooji and naukar Narayan went by car to Jaisalmer, the western most portion of Rajasthan, that directly touches Pakistan

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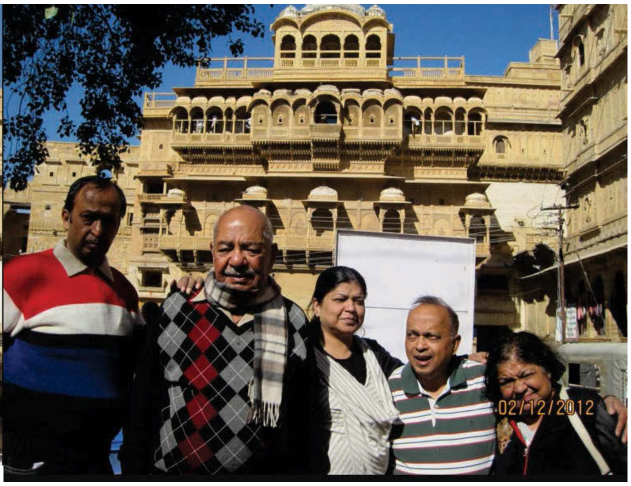
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Jaisalmer Fort

All 5 of us in Front of the Fort

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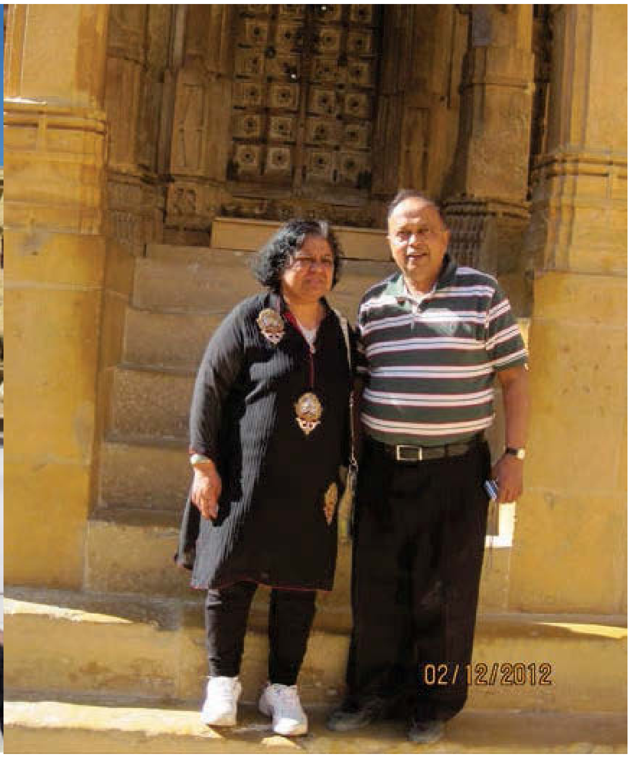
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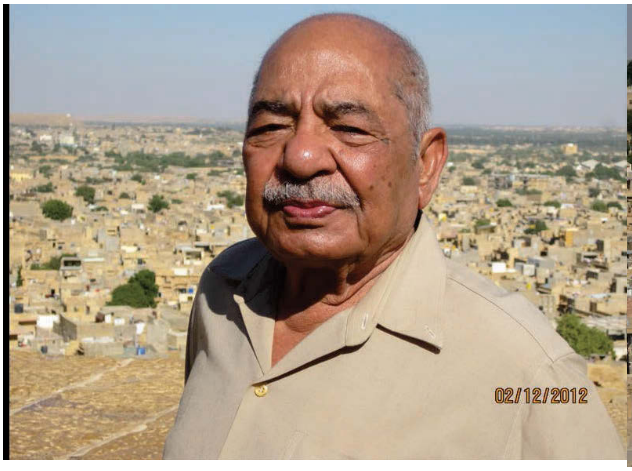
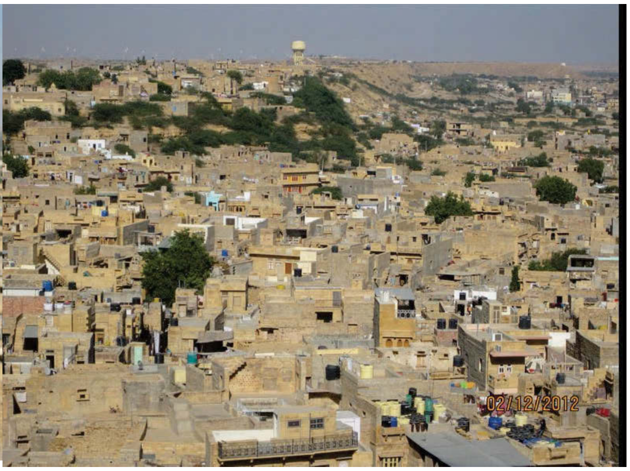
Ganeriwals in Front of the Fort

Neeru and I





Babooji with City in the Background   Jaisalmer city as seen from Fort

In the evening we made our way to a local concert region with local talents do our entertainment. We slept there in covered with sheets makeover place, but before that, in the evening there were camel rides available

Pratima Sushil Baboo on top of I ,   Babbooji and Neeru took the normal

Camel going near the pakistan Border   Cart towards Pakistan

We do not have anymore photos of the setup in the sleeping concern but it was nice

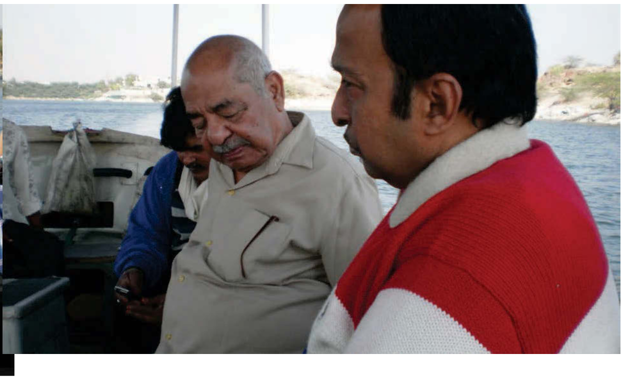
We then came to Jodhpur looking for our mamaji's home.

But during daytime we did some sightseeing

We came to the lake and took a ride on the lake

Sardar Samand Lake

Neeru and Pratima on the boat in Jodhpur



Babooji and Sushil Baboo in lake boat in Sardar Samand Lake

We searched Jodhpur looking for our mamaji's home.

I think we found it, but the occupant was too antagonistic

He would not let us in, so that house we saw from outside only.

Lastly Sushil Baboo took us to one his Clothing suppliers. We did have a nice lunch at his place, but I do not have any pictures of it

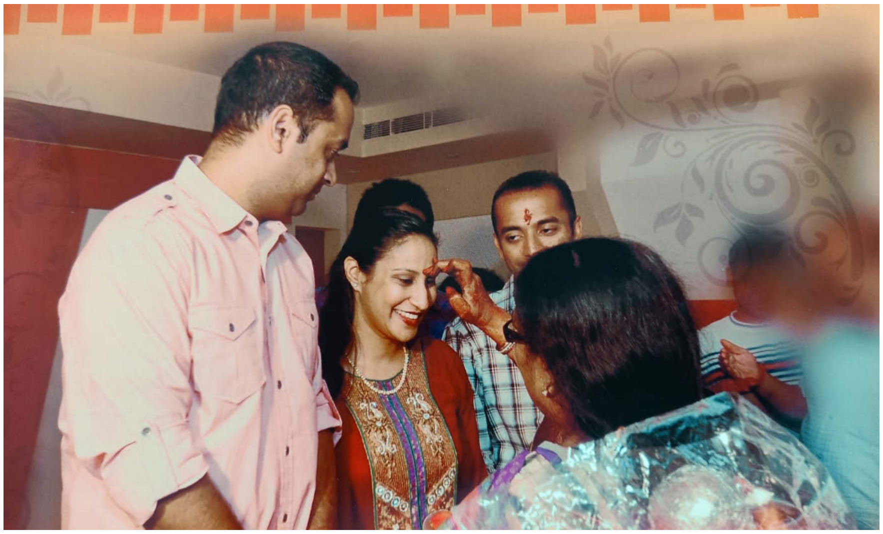
We returned to Calcutta on December 5

5 December, We went to Puri for Neha's marrige to Dr Vivek Agrawal . We stayed in Puri till December 8th

Deepa, Sanjay, Saurabh and Madhu watching wedding sangeet

Neeru and I watching Sangeet

Saurabh, Sanjay and Sanjeev ready for the wedding



Sharda doing tilak to Deepa as Sanjay and Saurabh watch

Sharda applying tilak to Prashant, as Jyoti, Sanjay, Saurabh, Aditya, and Siddhu watch

Sharda measuring Gopal Chest as Bhaiyyaji watches

Bhaiyyajee does a neg with Sharda that I and Neeru (partly hidden) watch

I, Sharda and Suresh Baboo watch the sangeet program

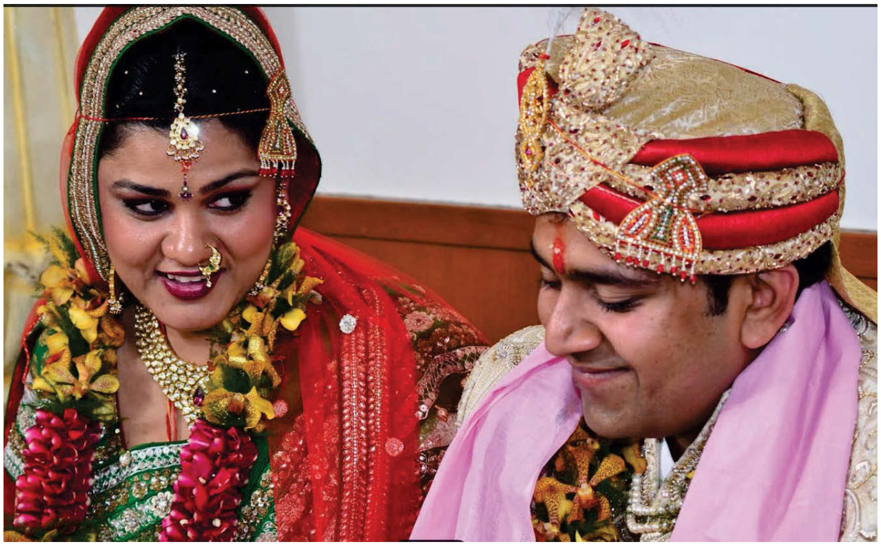
Vivek ji comes on Horse with a Vinayak

Suresh Baboo welcomes the Vivekji

And finally The Bridegroom and Bride;   Vivekji and Neha

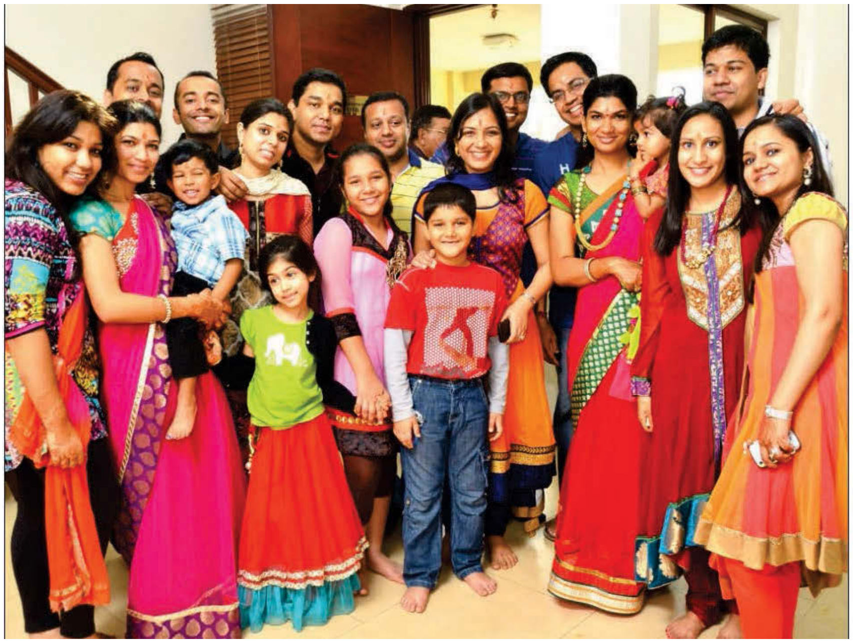
Then we came to Kolkatta by train

In Kolkatta on 12/10/12 we were involved in Swati's marriage to Vivek Agrawala

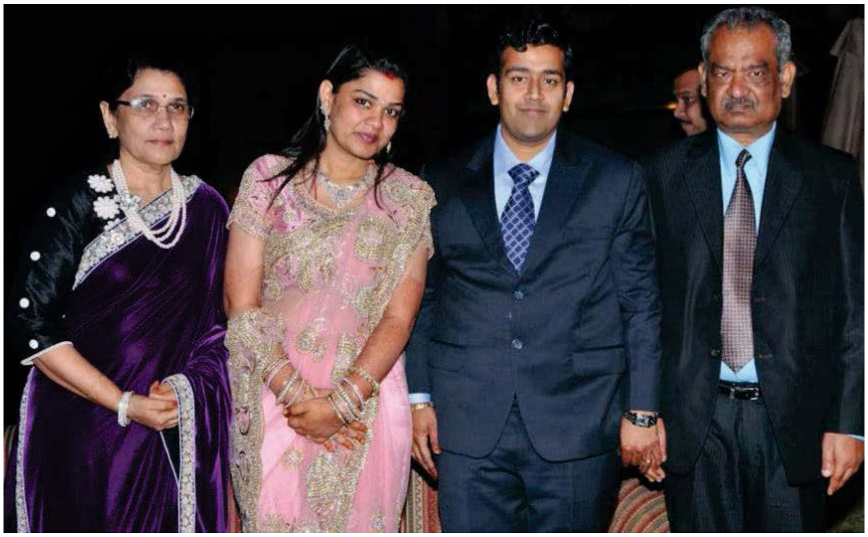


The Bride and groom-------------Swati and Vivek

Back row: Sumedha, Pallavi, Neeru, Asha, Poonam, Gora, Neelam, Pratima, and Archana
Front sitting: Deepa with Aryan in hand, Neha, Smita with Mishika in hand, Juhi and Prakriti



The whole family, Neha, Pallavi with Aryan, Sanjay, Saurabh, Sumedha, Vivek, Amit Kataruka, Sushma, Yash Poddar, Amit Khetawat, Smita with Mishika in hand, Deepa, Saurabh Ganeriwal and Prakriti in back.
Juhi, Anoushka and Kanishka in front



Gora, Swati, Vivek and Sajan

Prakriti, Neha, Yash Poddar, Deepa with Aryan in hand, Amit Khetawat, Smita with Mishika in hand, Sanjay, Sumedha and Saurabh

Vivek, Smita, Swati, Babooji, Pallavi with Aryan in hand, Amit Kataruka, Neha and Sumedha

We left Kolkatta on 12/14/2012 to Jamshedpur by train

We left for Baidyanath Dham (Deoghar) with Shanti and Shankat Baboo, by train at 9:00 PM and reached Deoghar by 4:00 AM. There we stayed in a hotel. After getting sleep and getting shower we went for the famous temple, it is a very famous temple and known as one of 12 Jyotirlinga temples of Shankar Bhagawan, throughout the whole of India. Rumour is that , during Ramayan, King Ravan was carrying Shivaji's statue from Kailash to his kingdom of Lanka, but he had to stop in the Deoghar due to urinate and he temporarily put the statue in the dirt there. So the statue got permanently established there

In temple the pandas showed us the whole temple and various places where we had do pooja with full Vidhi-vidhan

BABA BAIDYANATH
DHAM JYOTIRLING

after pooja at baba (its also called)dham we went to Baba basukinarh at Basukidham in Dumka.

होटल
बासुकी विहार
बासुकीनाथ

Basukidham, Dumka

After dumka, we went to Kashi Bhaiyya (Kashinath Shroff) a relative in Deoghar.. He had at his residence very good lunch for us. After lunch and resting a bit, we went around other religios places in Deoghar. During this time, a bihari shop, was making and selling a pyaji, whose flavour was very attractive. There we took full enjoyment of its taste . In his side he had Garam Jilebi , but the flies were all over it. Those Jilebis were very inviting, but due to health reasons we said good bye to them and from there we all returned to our places

12/19/12 we came from Kolkatta to Bengaluru.

on 12/21 we visited Vishwanath, at Mysore, we went and came back by Train

0n 12/22 to 12/24 we stayed with Prashant and Manish. We went out and visited innovative Film Park, an amusement park that had some connection with Deepak Bubna

Divya, Krishna, Tushar, I and Diya in the pram

Divya, carrying Diya in a pram, Neeru , I , Shital, Krishna and Tushar

I with Divya in the pram, Ktishna, Tushar, and Shital

Shital, I with Krishna and Tushar, Neeru, Anu, Divya and Diya in the pram

After amusement Park, we all went to Inchara for dinner

I and Neeru

The whole family in the Inchara , Manish joined us

on 26th we came to Mumbai In Mumbai we spent time with gopal, Madhu etc

for a few days we went to Lonavala with bhaiyyajee to visit his friend Janak Bhai's Cottage. At that place I felt a pain in the stomach . It was intense but lasted for a few minutes only. I let go of it and decided that we will show our doctor in USA

We stayed in Mumbai till 10th of January and then came to USA by British Airways at 10:20 PM

2013

Sanjay and Deepa were in Rye Brook home, in New York. Sanjay was working in PepsiCo and Deepa as consultant in public relations. Sameer was in Philadelphia working for Renaissance Center. Sudhir had a teaching job at Union College from August 12 in New York, Saurabh was in Pittsburgh working on MBA at Carnegie Mellon University

SJ/Deepa moved to Baltimore in August, Sanjay CFO Pepsi mid -Atlantic -division, Deepa telecommuting to her job in NY, placed Rye Brook home on rent; Saurabh moved to Delaware on January 7 to work for Sunoco , then Carnegie Mellon University for full time MBA in August; Sameer bought Montrose Ave house in Philadelphia and got it demolished/renovated July December, changed job to Finanta, started consulting (Ascend); Sudhir moved apartment to Albany

Sheo and Nirmala were in Martinsville. Sheo was involved with IASC as the Trustee and with SCAAHMCC as Finance Director. Bhaiyya and Bhabhi were in Troy home. Alka was working for Guilt and was staying in Brooklyn. Amit and Vidya lived in Connecticut, Amit working for D E Shaw in NY. Vidya was looking for suitable employment. Anju was working for Mckenzie in San Francisco.

On 1/27 Sonya was born to Vidya. It was a difficult birth. Vidya had to suffer a lot.

January 31 to February 8 Bhabhi went to India to attend the wedding of Neeraj, the son of Bhabhi's Shyam Bhaiyya

In February some tragic news happened in our local friends' group. Kicha's father passed away on February 23 peacefully. Abha's elder sister also passed away. On March 25 another centenarian who passed away was Vishwanath's father in Mangalore.

I had a Gall Bladder stone detected on March 16. The gall bladder was removed through surgical means by Dr Nitzberg at Overlook Hospital. The stomach pain while I visited Bombay last year pointed to this trouble

On 3/30 all of us, including Bhaiyya and Bhabhi, visited Amit and Vidya in their new home in Connecticut

Among these depressing news, there was a good news. On 4/16 Deepa was promoted to Senior V P

Two additional bad news came our way. First April 28, our friend Mani and Abha Gupta's son Amol was involved in an almost life-threatening accident.
In May first, our brother in law Sri Shankar Boobna's father passed away

May 20, our friend Vinayatiya from IIT Kanpur visited us.

On June 1 Naveen and Suchita separated

On June 2 Ekal Vidyalaya's program took place in New Jersey and Sanjeevni (Sonal Bagadia' s friend and Bollywood singer) Came here. We went and attended that sangeet outing

On 6/9 IITK director was supposed to come to New Jersey. A special treat was scheduled for his welcome. We also went there, but due to some scheduling conflict, he could not come

On 6/15 we visited Saurabh's apartment in Delaware and went for a Father's Day dinner at a local restaurant

On 6/28 Neeru had some eye trouble

On 7/5 (my birthday) Sanjay and Deepa visited us and treated us in Ming restaurant. Sameer, Sudhir and Saurabh took me to Maggiano's for my birthday

On 7/15 Aditya came on work assignment to Liverpool, England

0n 7/19 Beena and Naval had a Bhoomi Pooja for Satsang Center. They also had a party for Nimish's graduation, Bhabhi, Bhaiyya and we also went for that

On 7/28 we went to Sunil Bagadia' s place for Ram katha

On 8/2 we had a party for IASC people in our basement. Sudhir and Alka came for that too.

On 8/2 Anand Graduated from School

On 8/14 Naresh came here for Golf

On 8/17 Vidya, Sonya and Amit came here, to visit us.

On 8/18/13 Our good friend Pratima lost her young son. The son was in California, his memorial was in N.J. We went for his memorial.

0n 8/19 Neal Grove fixed our Pennsylvania house ($25.9k), so that we could put it on market for sale. The house was in our name, and we continued to rent it from 1985 itself.

Sameer bought a house on Montrose Avenue, Pennsylvania that was to be fixed by Neal

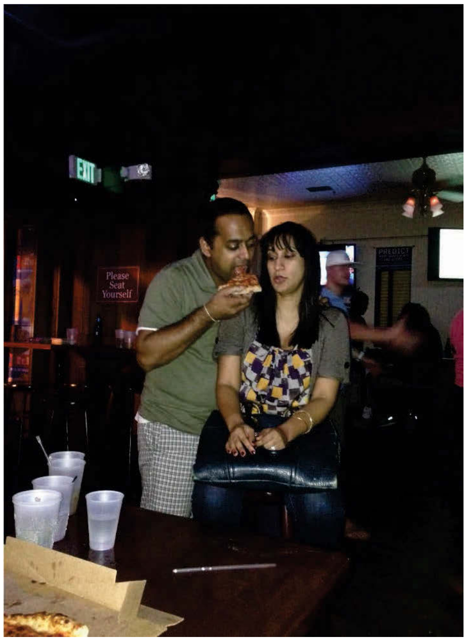
On 8/30 We went to Sanjay's place with Raksha Bandhan Ceremony in Baltimore. Prem bhabhiji, Raghunath Bhaiyya, the Matin Family, Naval, Bina, Niket etc. all showed up for it.

From left to right Holly, Sameer, Sanjay, Justin, Anju, Sudhir, Alka and Deepa eating food simultaneously

Sameer, Anju and Alka

EXIT
Please Seat Yourself
PREDICT

Justin



Sanjay and Deepa, Sanjay for the first time informed the gathering that Deepa was PREGNANT

Sameer

Sitting Down for Raakhi, Sanjay and Deepa getting tied by Anju, Alka and Bhabhi while Justine, Jack and Holly Martin watch from a distance

Sheo

More Rakhi tying to Sameer and Sudhir by the triplets as Bhaiyya, Neeru and Sanjay watch

More Rakhi tying as Bhaiyya, Neeru, Bhabhi and Niket watch

Bhaiyya and Bhabhi get Rakhi, as Naval, Neeru, Sanjay and Niket watch

Justine gets a sweet fed by Holly

Justine gets a Rakhi from Holly

In September we learnt that Gobind Chachaji (Shroff) from Sitamarhi expired

In September also, Saurabh quit his job at Sunoco and went for a 2 years MBA degree at Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh

On 9/8 , Bhuvaji's (lala Bhaiyya's mom) memorial services were held in Palace of Asia. We participated in it and I did a short eulogy on her..

In the meanwhile OTH and SOTH meetings continued at their rotational speed, OTH every month at some member's place and SOTH every two months at a different member's place

On 9/18 we learned that Bhaiyyaji had an ulcer in his stomach

The Annual NOBA Dinner (NOBA = my school Netarhat's Old Boys Association) took place at Shankar's place in Hillsborough on 9/28 10/15 our garden was ended, outside water was shut off.

On 10/17 Katarukas (Sushma ,Amit, with Anoushka and Kanishka) visited us, with Mahesh Baboo and Ashaji

Neeru and Sushama in our kitchen

Neeru, Sushama, Anoushka, I, Kanishka and Amit Kataruka

Katarukas, us and Mahesh Tekriwals families together in the dining room

Neeru, Amit, Anoushka, Kanishka and I in the dining room

Sanjay and Kanishka playing in the side

Neeru, Amit Kataruka, Anoushka, Kanishka and I sitting at our breakfast table next morning

The next day, Sanjay took them to Airport in his car

On 10/19 we had a Diwali party at home. It was attended by Prem bhabhi, Amit, Vidya, Alka and all kids

On 10/20 Vishwanath from Mysore, India visited us

On 10/21 I hired Beth Yohe, a realtor from Pennsylvania to market our 327 Lenape Lane home at Chalfont

Karwa Choth party at R B Mishra’s place on 10/20, Diwali Party at Shiv Guptas on 10/26, which we went to and stayed with Ajai Jain

On 11/1, we had tried to revive Tekriwal-Bagaria-Khetan party at Sonal and Sanjeev’s place.All kids , Sunil/Suman Bagadia, Surendra and Sheela Bagadia and Mahesh and Asha Tekriwal were there

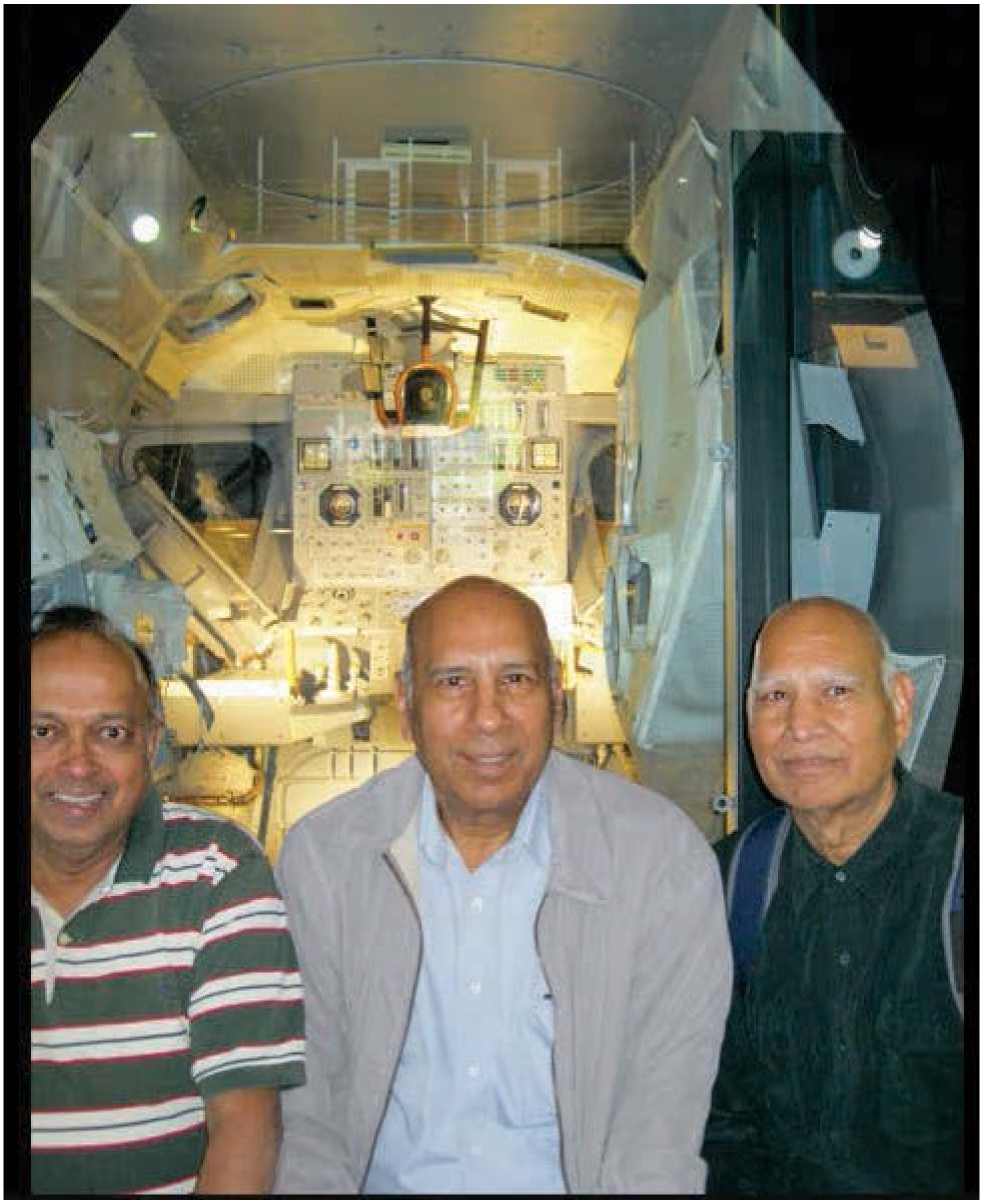
We went to Jaya Gupta’s place for diwali on 11/15

On Thanksgiving day, 11/27, all kids (excet Sanjay who was in Paris at that time) came home. We went to New York city to watch broadway show Newsie. We also bought King Sized Bed and two Suitcases for outside travel

We went for a Bahamas and Kennedy space center cruise from 12/11 to 12/19 2013 with Mittals and Hardyals.

The cruise was very comfortable with Indian restaurant on it. At times it displayed Milk Rabadi on the ship also.

Neeru, Meera Dayal , and Sushma Mittal on the ship



I, Dinesh Mittal and Hardayal on the ship

All 6 cruisers in one frame

Our cruise ship

NASA Rocket launch center

to the moon and to the planets be
and we have vowed that we
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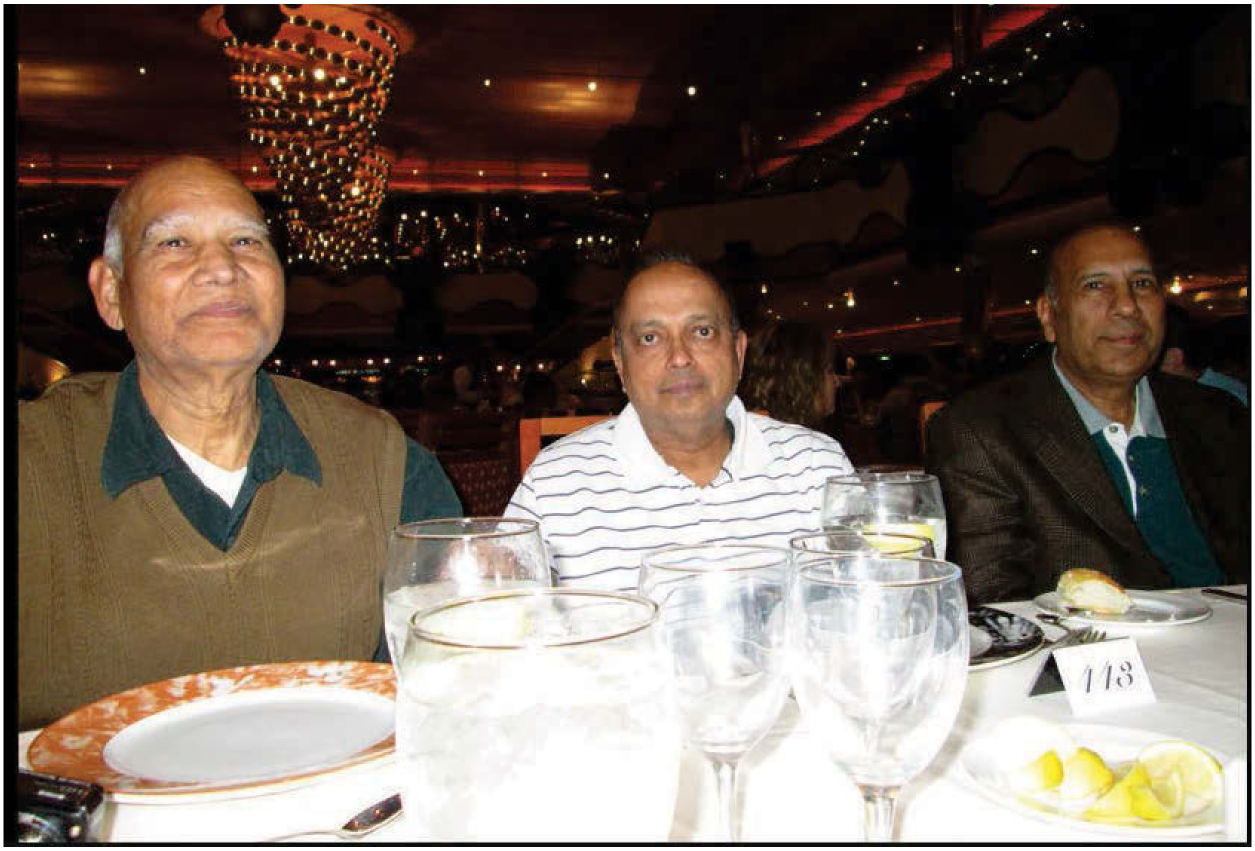
I and Neeru with full dressed astronaut model



The trio sitting at the cruise ship formal dining room

The three ladies sitting in Cruise formal Dining room

We finished the Cruise and came home on 12/19/13

After a gap of 1 day, we were on the outing for Christmas in Catskills Mountain. We were there with our kids, Prem Bhabhi/Raghunath Bhaiyya and their kids Amit, Vidya and Sonya, Alka and Anju/Justin, Naval todi and family, Jack and Terry Martins. Star attraction was SONYA as she was the only baby in the outing

This year we decided to give the responsibility of searching for a house to hold the Christmas party to one of the youngsters. That responsibility fell on Alka for this year

She booked from Friday Dec 20th through Thursday Dec 26th.

* House was in Jewett , NY . Driving distances -- This was about 2 1/2 hours from Martinsville, NJ, slightly more (about 2 and 45) from Fairfield/New York, and 6 hours from DC.

* It was in the northern Catskills area of New York (Greene County). Close to skiing at both Hunter and Wyndham mountains. There were a few other interesting things to do in the area nearby which we'll research before the trip.

* House had sleeping/living capacity for up to 25 ppl. It was 4000 square feet with an open floor plan. There were 8 bedrooms, 4 full bathrooms, a large kitchen & dining area, TV & play station, a game room with ping pong, foosball, pool, etc. and an 8 person hot tub.

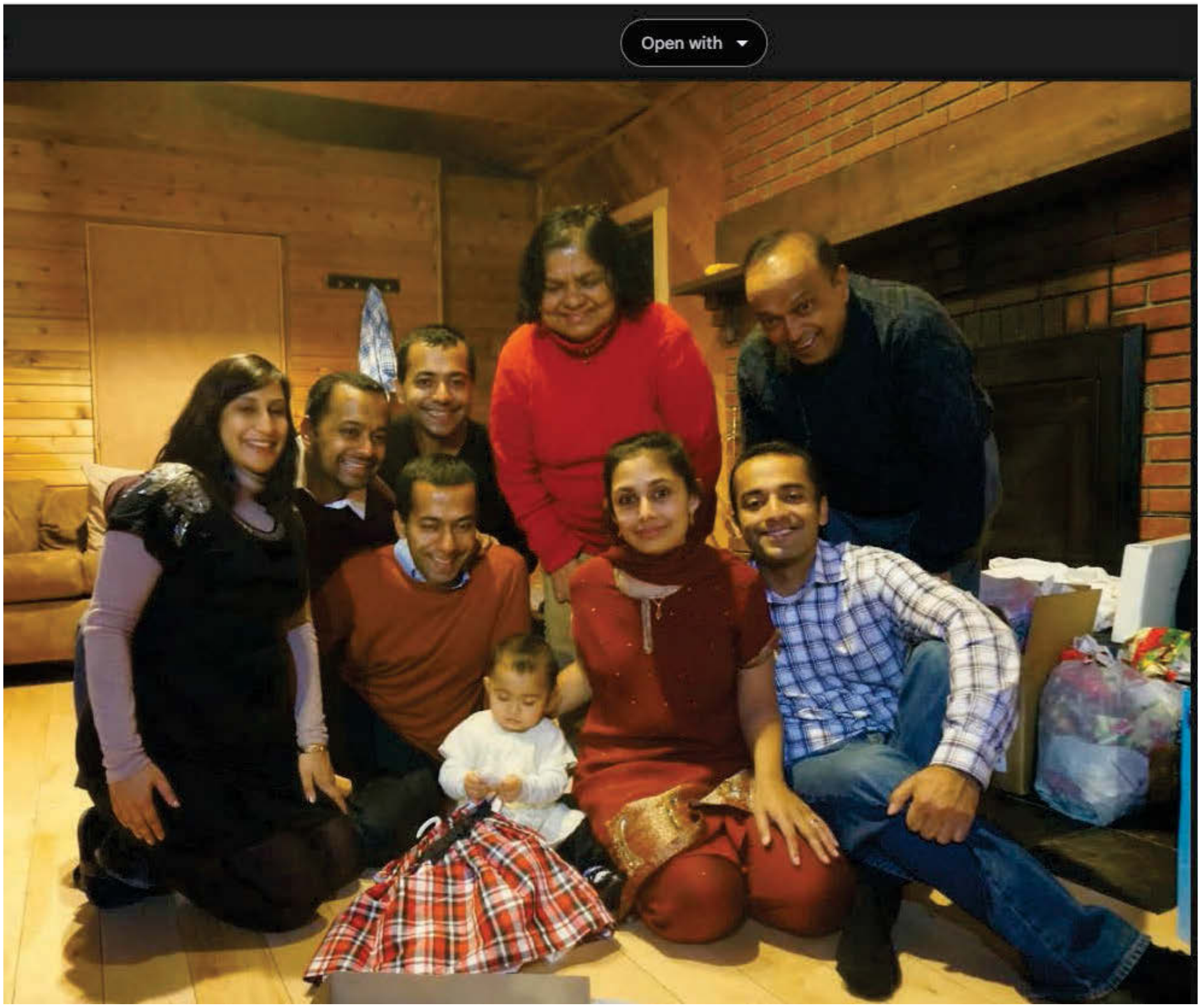
It was booked by Alka and double-checked by Sudhir

Living Area with Bhaiyya and Mohit

Alka

Deepa, Bhabhi, Alka and Terry (Mrs. Martin----Anju's mother-in-Law)

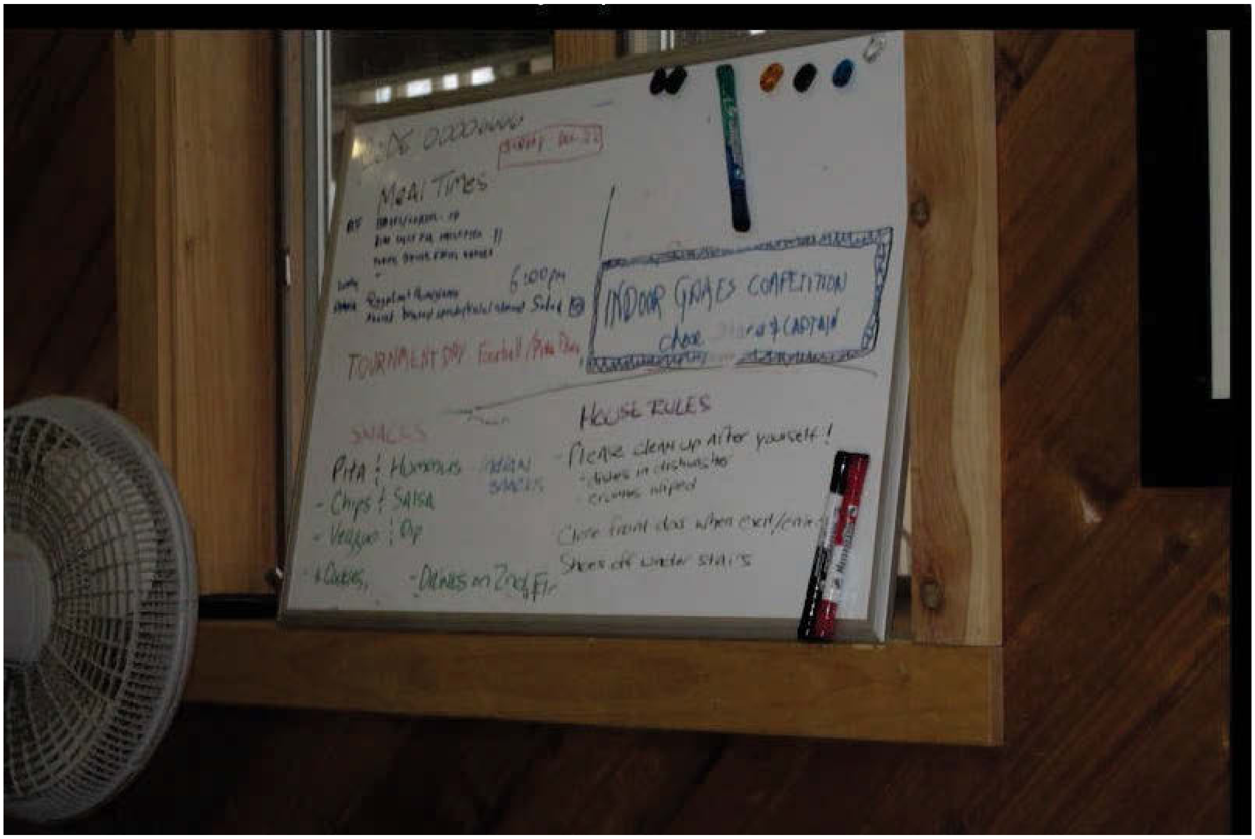
Bhabhi, Alka and Bhaiyya



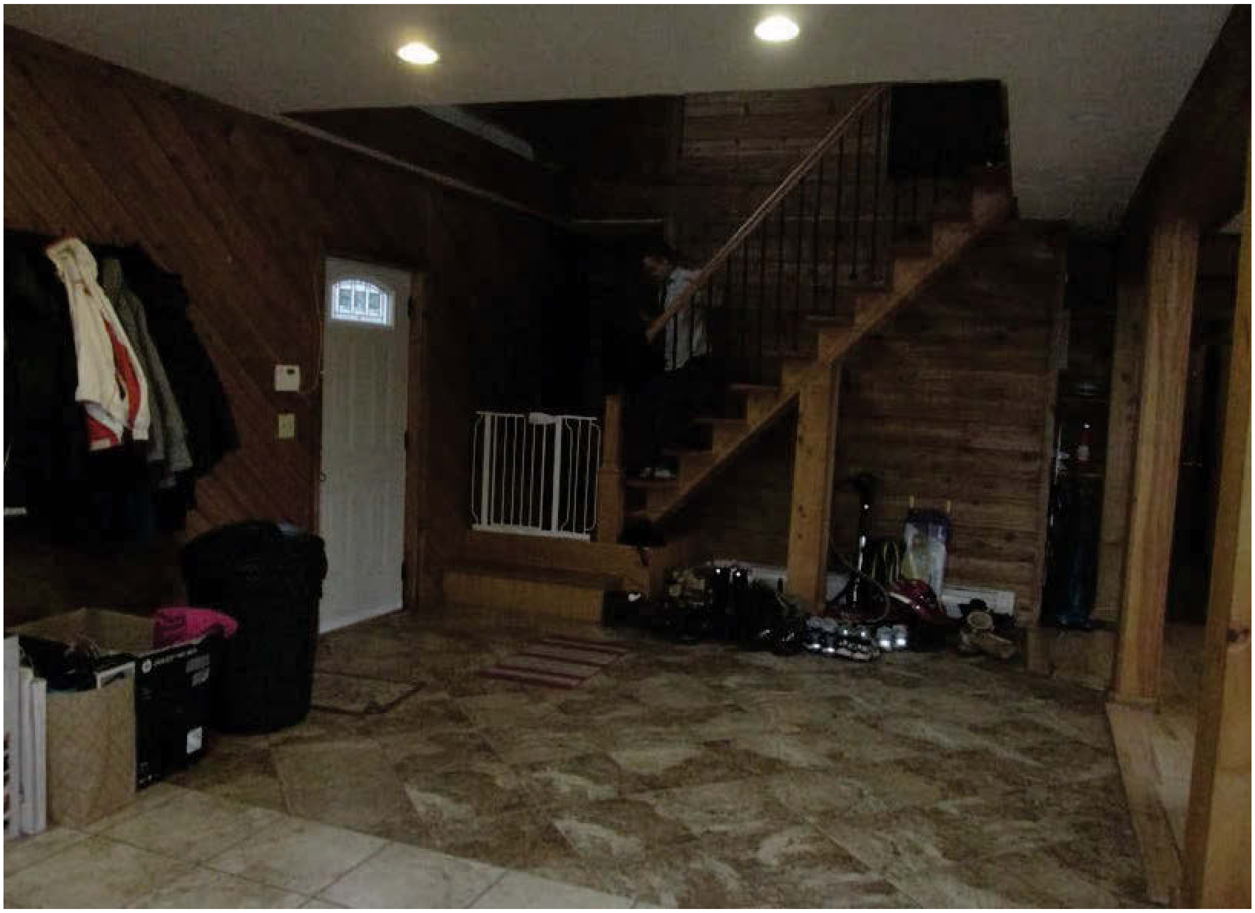
Deepa (with JAIDEN in her tummy), Sudhir, SONYA, Vidya, Saurabh;

2d row standing Sanjay. Sameer, Neeru and I

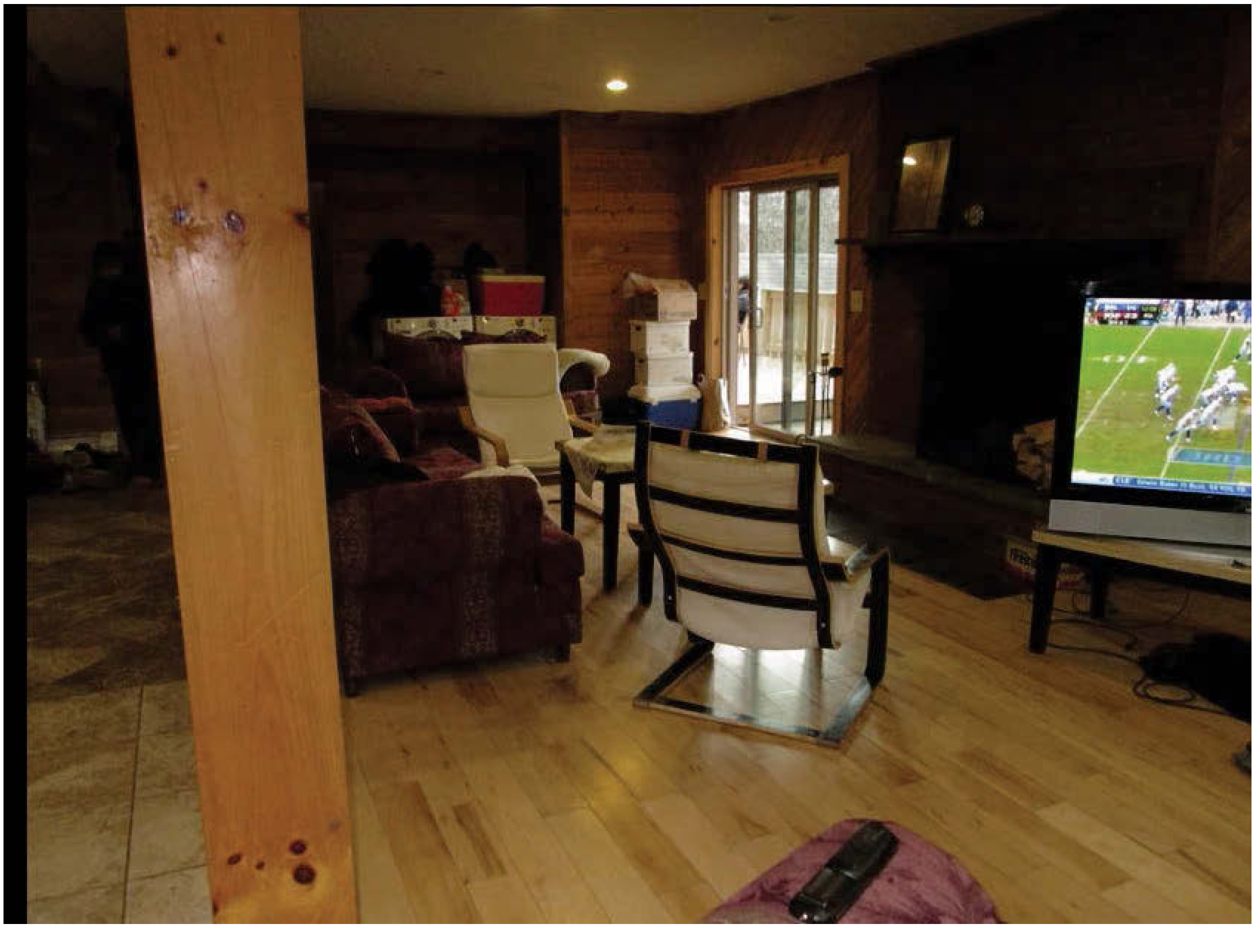
Saurabh, Deepa with ‘STAR’ SONYA in the lap, Mohit, Sameer, Niket, Sudhir and Nimish


Meal Times
6:00pm
TOURNAMENT DAY Football / Pita Day
INDOOR GAMES COMPETITION
CAPTAIN
HOUSE RULES
SNACKS
Pita & Hummus
- Chips & Salsa
- Veggies & Dip
- Cookies
- Drinks on 2nd Flr
Indian Snacks
- Please clean up after yourself!
- dishes in dishwasher
- crumbs wiped
Close front door when exit/enter
Shoes off under stairs

The daily activity board



Home with outside entrance



‘The home with internal facility

SONYA with Vidya (mom)

Sanjay and Nisha

In the indoor Hot tub (Jacuzzi), Saurabh, Sanjay and Sudhir with their drinks

Xmas gifts with all the people surrounding them

Xmas gift -----Sanjay and Justin pick theirs

Xmas gifts Neeru watchful

I ,Neeru, Terry, Jack, Bhabhi and Bhaiyya at local Caverns

The stalagmites

2013 Christmas photo –Sameer, Deepa, Sanjay, Sudhir and Saurabh

All touching would be Jaiden of future

2014

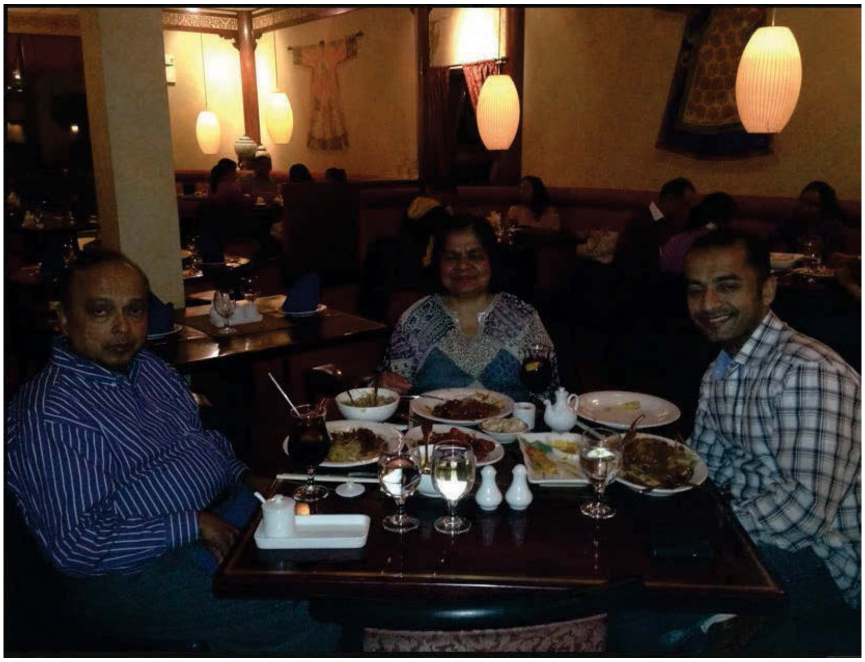
Sanjay and Deepa were in Baltimore, Sanjay working as head of finance at PEPSICO. Deepa was pregnant (29 weeks with Jaiden). Saurabh was at Carnegie Mellon University finishing his Master of Business Administrations. Sameer was in Philadelphia working Finanta Corporation while reconstructing an already existing home at Montrose avenue. Sudhir was already in Albany as an Assistant Professor at Union College

Sheo was nicely settled in his Martinsville home with Nirmala.. He had retired from trusteeship of ICAE, but continued as Finance Director at SCAAHMCC

Raghunath Bhayya and Prem Bhabhi were in their Troy home..Alka was looking for a job in Brooklyn. Amit was in Connecticut working for DE Shaw while Vidya was looking for a job. Anju was well settled with a job in Mckenzie

Saurabh Came here for winter vacation from 12/29/2013 to 1/10/2014. He took mommy for her Birthday at MING restaurant

Ming , Oak Tree Road, Edison , NJ



I, mom and Saurabh at Ming

1/17/2014 We held a babyshower for Deepa (she was Expecting Jaiden) on 1/7/14. The restaurant where we had the wedding shower was at Amiya, a restaurant selected by Sanjay and Deepa and was owned by our friends Mr Arun Lal and Malwika Lal's daughter.

That day it snowed in the morning and roads were very treacherous

Deepa with all the ladies from our side;---Anjie, Ashaji, Suman ,Deepa,Sonal, Amtita, Sheela, Neeru and Anika

Deepa sitting in the chair

Mom does Deepa tilak with Bhabhiji's help

Bhabhiji does tilak to Deepa

Deepa's parents….Sanjay, Deepa's mom (Nalini Behn), Reeta, Deepa's Father (Champak Bhai) and Deepa

Deepa and her parents side all the people

Rita, Sameer, Sanjay,mom and Deepa's mom, Nalini Behn

2/16/14 Kitcha Had a superbowl party at home. 2/5/14 Verma had a SOTH party at home

This year ice situatiom was pretty bad. Novenber/December and January pretty icy on Driveway. February too icy

on 2/10 Nirmala was riding in the car with Mala. Someone hit them near the Martinsville Church

on 3/1 our neighbours Bob and Julia Simmons were going to move to South, so we took them to Pooja

3/6 Saurabh was here on spring break, we changed to Verizon, e mail to Gmail and went to Sanjay's in Baltimore and Hospital , where Deepa was in the Hospital for Jaiden's birth.

3/7 at 2:30pm Jaiden was born (5LB 8.9OZ)

Jaiden , just born , in the hospital incubator bed

Deepa and just born Jaiden with Neeru

Deepa, Jaiden with us (dadi Neeru and dada Sheo)

Deepa, Jaiden with dadi Neeru and dad Sanjay

Jaiden 4 days old----3/11/14

Happy First
Mothers Day
Mommy

Jaiden on May 11, 2014

Jaiden studio picture 2014

After this Jaiden became the central point of attention in our family

3/15 Were at Mittals for OTH party, there we distributed Laddoos and Malai Chum Chum to all

3/29 Sonya's 2 nd Birthday (Or soniya's dadi Rasilaben's 60 th) was celebrated at Chand Place .Prem Bhabh, Raghunath Sudhir and Sarmili came here

on 3/30/14 we with Bhabhi and Bhaiyya visited Braj Agarwal who was Scheduled for Prostate Cancer surgery in May

On 4/13 to 4/24 We went to baltimore to be with Sanjay, Alka, and Jaiden

on 4/25 to 4/26 Prem Bhabhi, Shashi Bhabhi and Nandji came home

4/23/2014 We found out about Alka having some gynocollogy disease. She was Hospitalized in NY City

We, Mom and I visited her in hospital

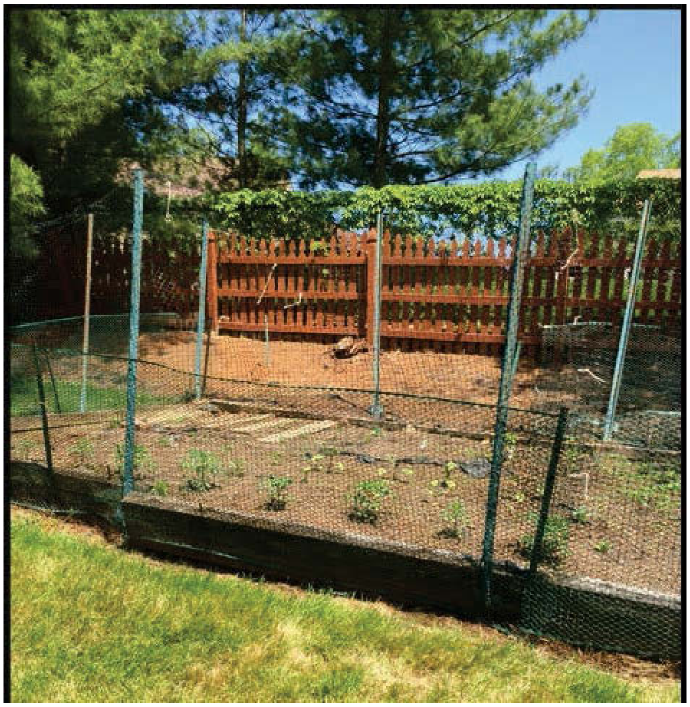
Mom And I visited Alka in the NY city hospital

I visited Alka in NY City hospital

0n 5/3/14 we all met at Suman's place for TBK OTH party #2. Saurabh, Sanjay, Deepa and Jaiden also came

on 5/10 to 5/12 Saurabh's 1st year over. He came home. We saw movie Lunchbox with him

5/14 The Garden was completely planted



5/18/14 Bijay Chachaji and Shakun Chachi came to their son Vikram and daughter in law Ritu in long Island

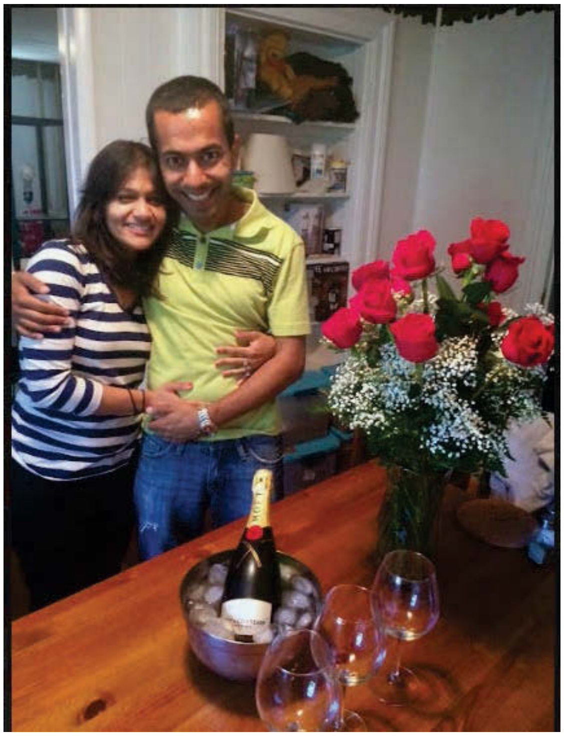
We went there with Sanjeev and Sunil to see them

5/21/14 We visited Prem and Sunita Gupta and there we went for a movie together

5/24/2014 We went to Sarmili's parents home with Sameer. There we met with her parents, Dr Proshant

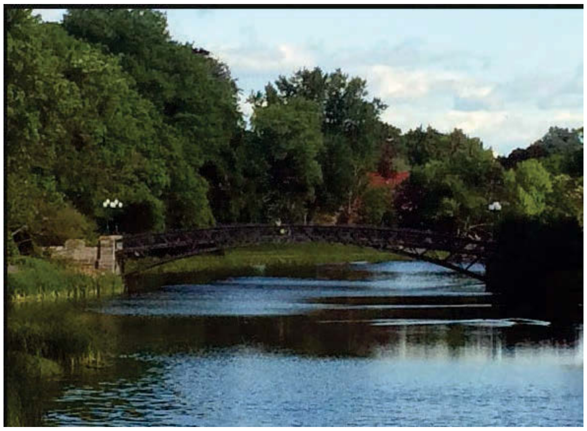
and Basantee Saha, her two elder sisters Sumona and Vivek Prabhakaran and Mitali Saha. We also met Sumona's two boys

5/31/2014 Sudhir officially propsed to Sarmili and she accepted



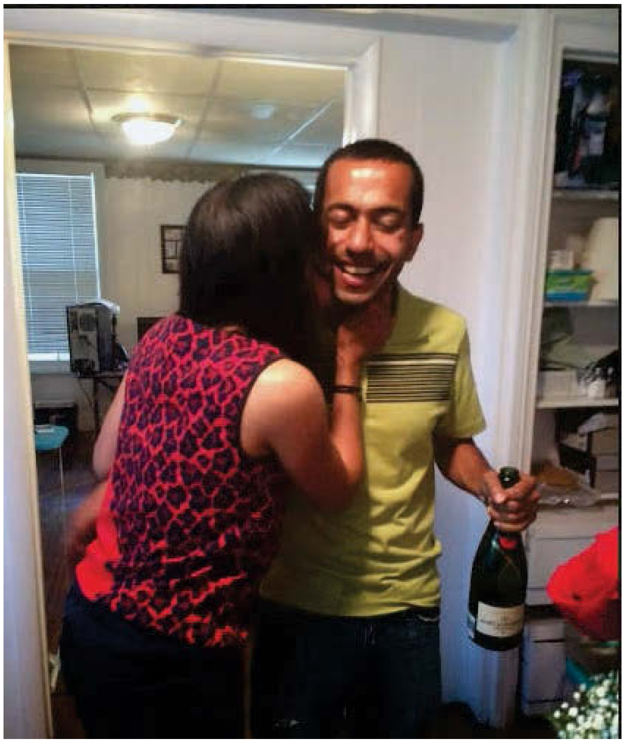
Sarmili with Sudhir

The ring Sudhir gave Sarmili



The bridge where Sudhir proposed to Sarmili

Flower and wine at home



Officially engaged

6/11/2014 My IITK friend , Vinay, had come here to teach a course on Astrology in Gurukul Pennsylvania. We visited him there

6/13/2014 Sanjay, Deepa and Jaiden came home for father's day. Sameer, Khan Saheb and Vinayaditya were here too.

6/16 to 6/17 Khan Saheb went to visit Dinesh Mittal and left on 6/17/14

6/18 Saw Dr Mahal. He dropped Lisinopril HCTZ (blood pressure medicine) to Lisinopril only

7/4/2014 Sudhir and Sarmili came here and took us back to Baltimore. There we spent some time with Sanjay, Deepa and Jaiden (espescially) and came back. On our way back we picked up from

MACYS , the Table and chairs set for our deck's dining area

7/11/2014 Went to Palace of Asia for food tasting for Sudhir's upcoming engagement party

7/12/2014 went to Sunil's place for Ramkatha

7/13/2014 Manju had a picnic party at home

7/18/2014 Went to Brookln (Alka's place) to meet Bhabhi, found out that Neelam and Asit are going

Through a divorce. From there with Bhabhi we came to Neelam's place. From there we drove to Janak and Vandana's place and next day drove home

7/20/2014 Went to Long Island to attend Upendra Rohatgi's sons wedding party. We stayed at Rajendra

Mehta's place. Next day we stopped at a Tent Place in Elizabeth to look for a tent for Sudhir's upcoming engagement party

7/26/2014 We went to Sameer's new place and went to Ashaji's place for family gathering. Next morning Anand drove us to Philadelphia we picked up our car and drove to Martinsville

7/31 2014 We drove to Baltimore and by bus to Richmond for Yash's graduation . From Richmond to

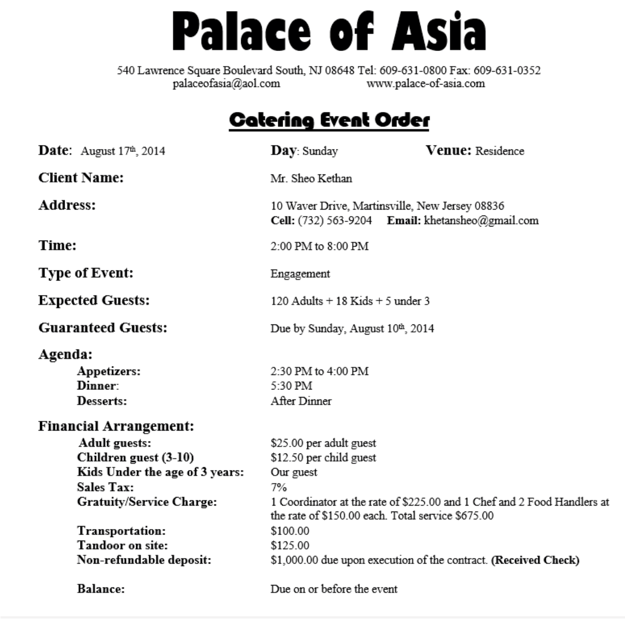
Martinsville on 8/3

8/7/2024 Pratima and Babooji came to John F Kennedy Airport, Pratima lost her luggage

8/8/2024 Sold 327 lenape lane Home for a net of 290k$ gain

8/10/2024 Drove to Kennedy Airport to Receive pratima's luggage

8/17 Sudhir was engeged to Sarmili(engagement date 8/17/14, we had a party at home. We invited Gora, Sajan, Babooji from India, ,Shebu Chachaji, Bhaiyya and Family, My total Family and all the friends We chose Palace of Asia as our food Vendor of the party, Elegant Affairs for decoration and Deepa's vendor , Sanjay Pandya as a pundit with a strict instruction to finish the engagement pooja in 25 minutes



Palace of Asia

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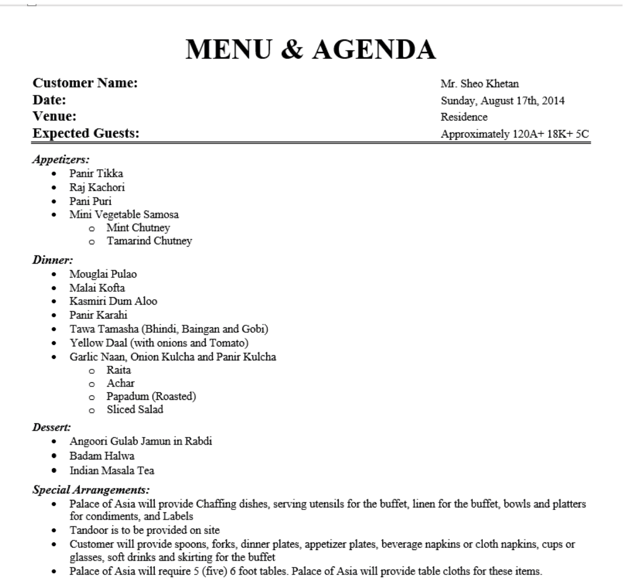
Catering Event Order

Date: August 17th, 2014 **Day**: Sunday **Venue:** Residence

Client Name:	Mr. Sheo Kethan
Address:	10 Waver Drive, Martinsville, New Jersey 08836 **Cell:** (732) 563-9204 **Email:** khetansheo@gmail.com
Time:	2:00 PM to 8:00 PM
Type of Event:	Engagement
Expected Guests:	120 Adults + 18 Kids + 5 under 3
Guaranteed Guests:	Due by Sunday, August 10th, 2014
Agenda:	
Appetizers:	2:30 PM to 4:00 PM
Dinner:	5:30 PM
Desserts:	After Dinner
Financial Arrangement:	
Adult guests:	$25.00 per adult guest
Children guest (3-10)	$12.50 per child guest
Kids Under the age of 3 years:	Our guest
Sales Tax:	7%
Gratuity/Service Charge:	1 Coordinator at the rate of $225.00 and 1 Chef and 2 Food Handlers at the rate of $150.00 each. Total service $675.00
Transportation:	$100.00
Tandoor on site:	$125.00
Non-refundable deposit:	$1,000.00 due upon execution of the contract. **(Received Check)**
Balance:	Due on or before the event



MENU & AGENDA

Customer Name:	Mr. Sheo Khetan
Date:	Sunday, August 17th, 2014
Venue:	Residence
Expected Guests:	Approximately 120A+ 18K+ 5C

Appetizers:
- Panir Tikka
- Raj Kachori
- Pani Puri
- Mini Vegetable Samosa
  - Mint Chutney
  - Tamarind Chutney

Dinner:
- Mouglai Pulao
- Malai Kofta
- Kasmiri Dum Aloo
- Panir Karahi
- Tawa Tamasha (Bhindi, Baingan and Gobi)
- Yellow Daal (with onions and Tomato)
- Garlic Naan, Onion Kulcha and Panir Kulcha
  - Raita
  - Achar
  - Papadum (Roasted)
  - Sliced Salad

Dessert:
- Angoori Gulab Jamun in Rabdi
- Badam Halwa
- Indian Masala Tea

Special Arrangements:
- Palace of Asia will provide Chaffing dishes, serving utensils for the buffet, linen for the buffet, bowls and platters for condiments, and Labels
- Tandoor is to be provided on site
- Customer will provide spoons, forks, dinner plates, appetizer plates, beverage napkins or cloth napkins, cups or glasses, soft drinks and skirting for the buffet
- Palace of Asia will require 5 (five) 6 foot tables. Palace of Asia will provide table cloths for these items.

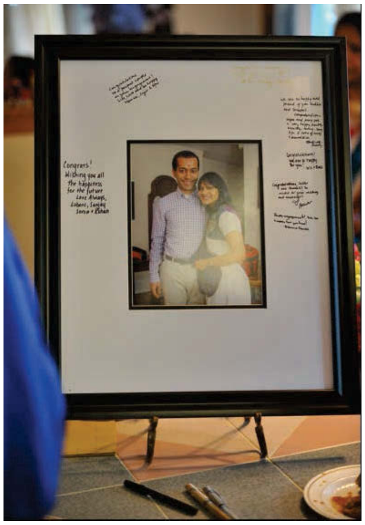
We dealt with

The priest chosen by Deepa was

Sanjay Pandya

Cell is 609-273-6048

We had our home nicely decorated. Our house had Deck with all the food provision and in the Backyard a nice tent and Tables, Chairs for food



Cardboard for guests to Sign in

All our side people in the house near the entrance waiting for important guests to arrive , see that one of little girls is there with a basket of flowers to specially greet the guests (the other three are not in this photo)

Babooji hugs Proshanto Saha

I hugging Proshanto Saha

Basanti Saha enters our home, Sarmili right Behind

Sarmili entering our house and is greeted by Sudhir

Basanti, Sudhir and Sarmili eating appetizers

Sudhir and Sarmili with the pandit Pandya

Pandit Pandya finishing Sudhir and Sarmili engagement

Sudir Sarmili engaged

Neeru doing the tilak to Sudhir after Engagement

Basanti Sarmili's mom does tilk on Sarmili

Sudhir and Sarmili Seek Blessing from Babooji

The Babooji

Neeru and I with Engaged Couple

our family with the engaged couple

Pratima and Neeru with Engaged couple

Sanjay Deepa with engaged couple

All Tekriwals with Engaged Couple

Lala and his family with Engaged Couple

Sarmili Sudhir eating the food outside in the Tent

My Friends Taking the food from the Deck

My Friends enjoying their food in the Tent

My friends enjoying the food in the Tent

All Tekriwal women together

Gora, Pratima, Aashaji, Neeru and Sharda Chachi

All Neeru's Saheliyan

Abha Sushama Neeru Poornima and Khurshid

Our Family together outside photograph

our friends photograph in our backyard

Our extended family members behind our house

our extended family photograph 2

The Parting away gift (mithai)

The gift giver --Juhi

8/18/14 We had a Raakhi celebration in the basement. Notice that from this time forward all attention was focussed on the two newly born, toddlers Sonya and Jaiden

Deepa and Sanjay with Jaiden 5+ month old only

Sonya with Jaiden 5 months old

The two babies see each other; Sonya in Vidya's lap Greets Jaiden in Deepa's lap

Juhi ties rakhi to baby Jaiden

Baby Jaiden is everybody's happy little boy--------

Anju feeding sweet to Baby Jaiden

Now real Rakhi Business happens…Neeu tying rakhi to her Sajan Bhaiyya and Gora Bhabhi

Neeru tying Rakhi to her Brother and Bhabhi

Neeru's sister Pratima offering Rakhi to Her brother and Bhabhi

Pratima does Tilak to Sajan Bhaiyya

Alka feeds sweet to Amit

8/20/2014 Shebu chachaji and Sharda chachiji came to our hone. We called Manas , went and ate at Pooja

The same day we went to poconoes at the casino and stayed in an Inn. Then 8/23 we came

back to New Jersey

8/26/2014 We had a major accident in our car. We were 4 people in the car, I, Babooji in front with Seat Belt fastened, Pratima behind me and Neeru in the next Seat. We had lunch at the Olive Garden and coming back. All 3 people were sleeping. I must have dozed off . The car was very close to home on Washington Valley Road. It veered to right and then suddenly it hit the pole of utilities on right. We suddenly woke up. Pratima was almost on top of me and Babooji was unconscious in his seat. Only Neeru was alright. We immediately called an anbulance and Sanjay. The ambulance came and took all of us to the Somerset Medical center where they did the emergency treatment. I and Pratima had some minor treatments, but it took babooji to come to senses and get necessary treatment some 30 minutes. Sanjay came to the hospital and took us and took us home. My car was a total loss.

Someone had called Shebu chacha also. He called Manas to take care of us. Mahesh Baboo also came and prescribed some medicine for Babooji, who was hurt. Ultinately his medicines had an effect on Babooji was feeling better. Pratima too was hurting somewhat but recovered slowly. Sanjay, Saurabh, Sameer and Sudhir came by turn. Babooji's Medicine as prescriced by Dr Mahesh Tekriwal

alleve	2/day	8pm	8:30 AM	8:30AM	8
nexium	1/day	8pm	8:30 AM	8:30AM	8
blood pressure medicine		8am	8:30 AM	8:30AM	8
sleeping pills		9:30 PM	9:30 PM	9	
dulcolax	2/dy	8pm	8:30 AM	X	1 tab at 8
colace					1
spray	4/day 1		8:30 AM	8:30 AM	8
	2		2:00 PM	2	
	3		9:15 PM	7	
	4	8pm		9	
walk	1		8:30, 10	9 for 25 min	
	2		12:30 outside 20 min		
	3		6:45 outside 20 min		

	4	5 rds			
warm compressor	4/day 1		8:30 AM	8:30AM	
	2		1;30 pm	12	
	3		8:30 PM	6	
	4	8pm			
neck exercise	1		8:30 AM	9	
	2		2:00 PM	1	
	3		8:30 PM	9	
	4				
tylenol	as needed 2or 3 t/day		2	1 @ 8:45 am	
Percochet	only if pain persists				

Babooji started feeling better by following this medicine This medicine made Babooji feeli better in a couple of days . Sleeping at night was much better That time, one day he managed to play 30 hands of paploo taploo with me.

Thus he got better enough in a week. We got Pratima's air ticket to be converted to Business Class and were able to send both by Emirates Business class on 9/3/14. They had very little difficulty discomfort or pain in flight and reached home by 9/5/14

Our car was replaced by Allstate and they issued us a compensation check for both Babooji and Pratima , which I sent to them.

This year Indian Association of Somerset County's 25 th Anniversary. We had a major 3 day show arranged for that. I arranged for a Seminar on Trust formation. I also learnt from a Rutger's University's professors show that drinking tea was good for me, so I finally got out of not having tea in my diet.

We also celebrated 25th anniversary by a food party in Diwan Restaurant on 9/12

We celebrated Karwa Chauth at Misraji's place on 10/11. W

e went to Baltimore by Volt Bus and came back by Amtrack to Philadelphia. Then Sameer put us on train to Metropark and we came home by taxi. This was done on 10/12 to 10/14

We went to Shiv Gupta's Diwali party on 10/18, Prem gupta's Diwali party on 10/25 and finally had our Diwali party on 11/1. which was attended by Dr. and Mrs Saha also

Finally Sanjay came home on 11/8 and left us on Airport on 11/9 to take an Emirate flight to India.

We reached Dubai at 7:30 am, and Reached Kolkatta 10:00 PM on 11/10

11/10-11/12 Stayed with SRT in calcutta

11/13-11/17 to Jamshedpur/Netarhat trip. We came to Jamshedpur(Shanti's home)

Next day we left for Netarhat in a car for people (I, Neeru, Shanti, and Shankar baboo)

HOTEL PRABHAT VIHAR, NETARHAT
JHARKHAND TOURISM DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

Hotel Prabhat Vihar Restaurant

Full Sunrise Seen from Prabhat Vihar

I and Neeru in front of Netarhat

Main Building

Shankar Baboo and Neeru in Front of

Main Building

Netarhat at night, lighted

Sheo doing Vricharopan Near Chalet

As Kedarji and Narendra Bhagatji watch

Cultural Function pandal at Netarhat School

on November 17 we took train from Jamshedpur to Kolkatta

We had really a job to do in terms of Sudhir's marriage so we did all the shopping there, thanks to Neha and Prakriti.

On Tuesday evening we went to Sharda's place and Anneysha's mom really prepared me for Bengali song "Maya Bono Biharini Horini"

On Wednesday we went to Sushma's place for dinner with Dr Anil Poddar and his wife Archana Poddar who is the Daughter of my Krishna Chachaji from Sitamarhi

On Thursday we went to Sushil Bhaiyya's place to eat food with Aasha, Vivek, Sumedha, Mishika, Neha and Sajan Bhaiyya and Gora Bhabhi

On Friday we went to boutique shop Zamara, opened by Jyoti and Anneysha

11/23/14 In Calcutta, Neeru invited all family to Bhat Nutna for Sudir's Marriage to Sarmili All babooji's side people in Kolkata were invited

22/11/2014

22/11/2014

Tilak to elder brother Sajan, by Neeru

Neeru with Ashaji and Sushil

22/11/2014

Neeru with both Bhabis Asha and Gora

Neeru Doing tilak to Babooji as Sucheta Chachi and Shankar chacha watch

22/11/2014

22/11/2014

Shanti Baboo and Neelam Bai

Neeru doing Tilak to Sushma and Family

22/11/2014

22/11/2014

Neeru doing tilak to Sushil Baboo as

Pratima watches

Babooji with both Jawains and Betis

Thus with a party the 'Bhat Nootna' was over. Pratima did wonderfully in organising and supporting it

On 24th we went from Calcutta to Singapore. We (6 of us , including Ganeriwals, babooji and Shebu chacha) rested at Amit (Neelam bai's son) and Vrinda's place and from there we went to the Mariner of the sea

We had the #! Royal Family Suite on the ship with all six of us in the same suite. The ship had the routine similar to other cruise ships, with daily walk, swim, casino, Other games, food (indian food was arranged) and entertainment program in addition to daily in suite "homework". The cruise ship was geared toward Chinese, (my expectation was Indian) and as such was less interesting. The cruise briefy stopped in port Kalang Malyasia and Phuket, Thailand where we roamed around in a taxicab.

We completed Cruise on 28th and stayed for 3 days in Holiday inn in Singapore. There we took a tourist bus to see the whole Singapore. The next day we went to Sentosha Island. There we took 3 tours Sentosha's wax museum, Sentosha's Merlion and Sentosha's cable car . Next day we visited Singapore's famous "gardens by the way"

24/11/2014

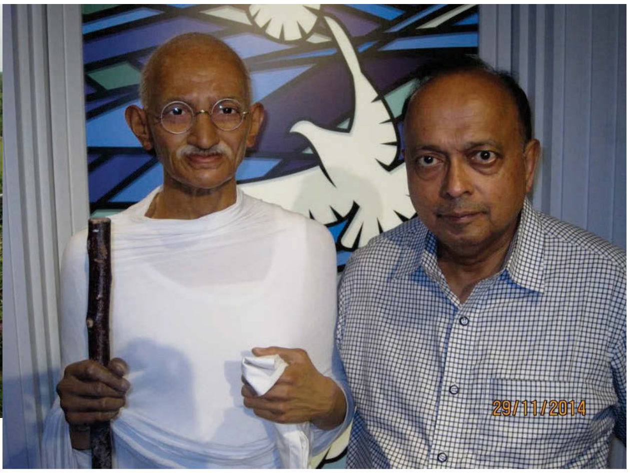
Neeru and Sheo with Cruise ship Marion of

The Sea behind our back

Babooji

Pratima, Chachaji and Neeru on the ship

All of us in the ship's dining room



The two Sisters

Sheo with Mahatma Gandhi's wax statue

Sheo and Neeru

Sushil baboo with Pratima on one side Singapore's Leo the Lion

Neeru on the other side

On 1st of December we parted company with every body and took a flight to Bombay.

on 12/2 I had an appointment for my teeth with Dr Arun Shah

One of the days we stayed with Madhu and Sanjiv Kataria. We went with them for Shopping Cotton Clothes for Jaiden from Good Earth and Fab India at Kala Ghora

on 12/9 we went from Bombay to Bangalore

12/12 Meet in Bangalore with Vishwanath for lunch

12/12 Our plan was to go with SKC/Sharda, BLA/BDA to Tirupathy, Vellore, Pondicherry, but BLA had to go for emergency leg operation, so we cut down on Tirupathy and went other places with Manish Agrawal

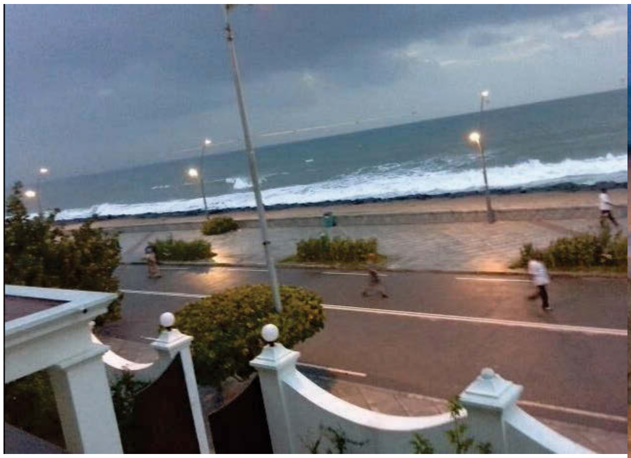
12/17 Saurabh started a new job at Eaton which he had accepted on 11/17/14

12/17 we went to Pondicherry

Arrival Hotel in Direct Opposition of

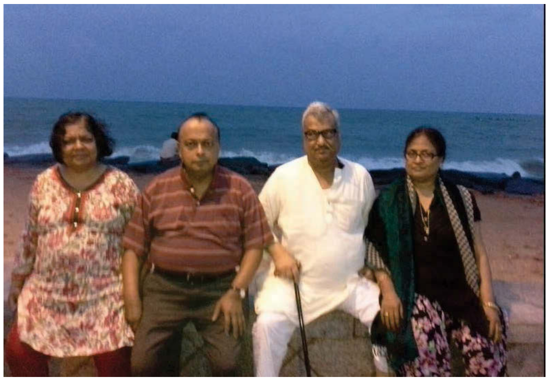
Beach I, Neeru and Sharda

Manish Sheo Sharda and Neeru in front of Hotel



Ocean in Front of Beach

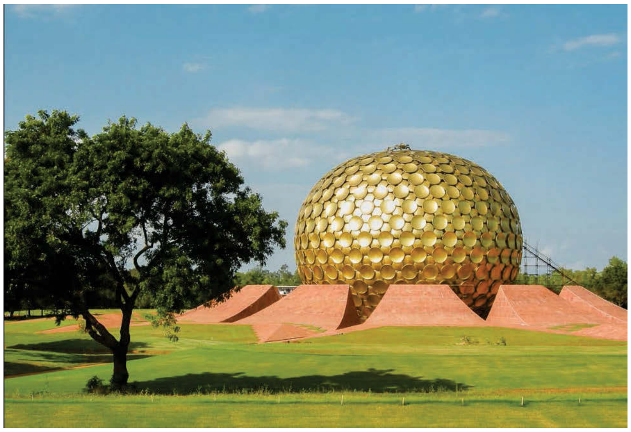
Sheo, Suresh Baboo and Manish on the beach



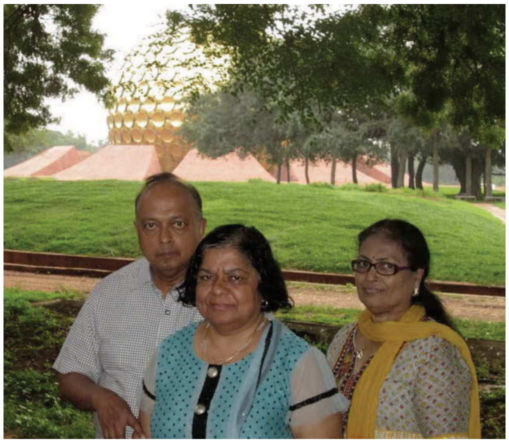
Neeru ,I ,Suresh Baboo, Sharda

Small Canteen in Auroville; Idli dosa

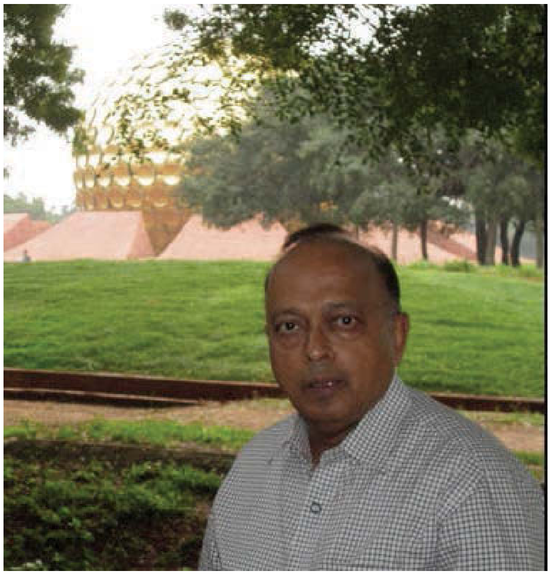
Sureshbaboo, sharda and Neeru



Matri Mandir dome in Auroville



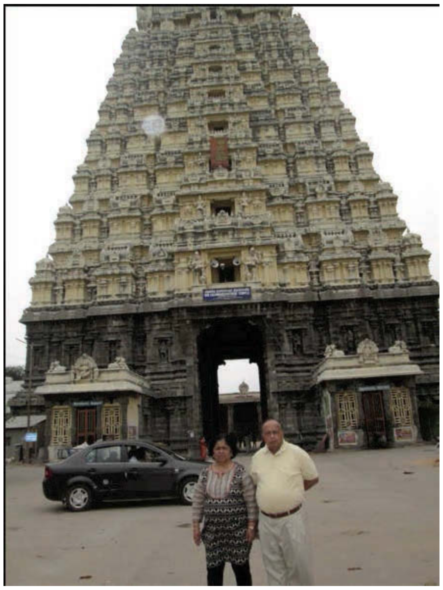
Sheo, Neeru and Sharda in Front of Matrimandir



Sheo in front of MatriMandir Dome

Manish in front of MatriMandir Dome

12/19/14 we went to Kanchipuram Temple



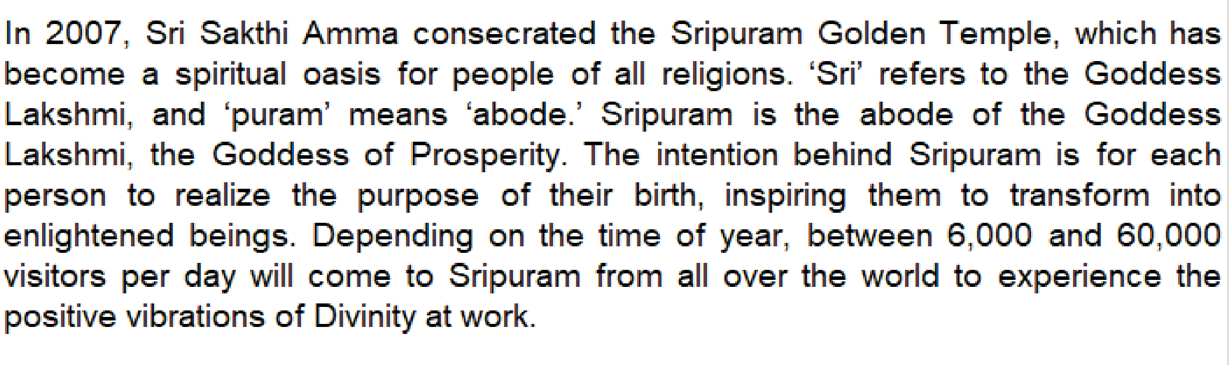
Kanchipuam Pandadava Toothbar Perumal Temple

Neeru Sheo in Front of Temple

Sheo, Suresh Baboo, Sharda and Neeru

Even though Kanchipuram is well known as the the maker of silk saris all over India, we did not get a chance to stop at any Sari shop and look at any Saris

We stopped by in Vellore and visited the newly constructed Sripuram Laxmi Temple It has very impressive appearance with whole temple covered in pure gold



In 2007, Sri Sakthi Amma consecrated the Sripuram Golden Temple, which has become a spiritual oasis for people of all religions. ‘Sri’ refers to the Goddess Lakshmi, and ‘puram’ means ‘abode.’ Sripuram is the abode of the Goddess Lakshmi, the Goddess of Prosperity. The intention behind Sripuram is for each person to realize the purpose of their birth, inspiring them to transform into enlightened beings. Depending on the time of year, between 6,000 and 60,000 visitors per day will come to Sripuram from all over the world to experience the positive vibrations of Divinity at work.

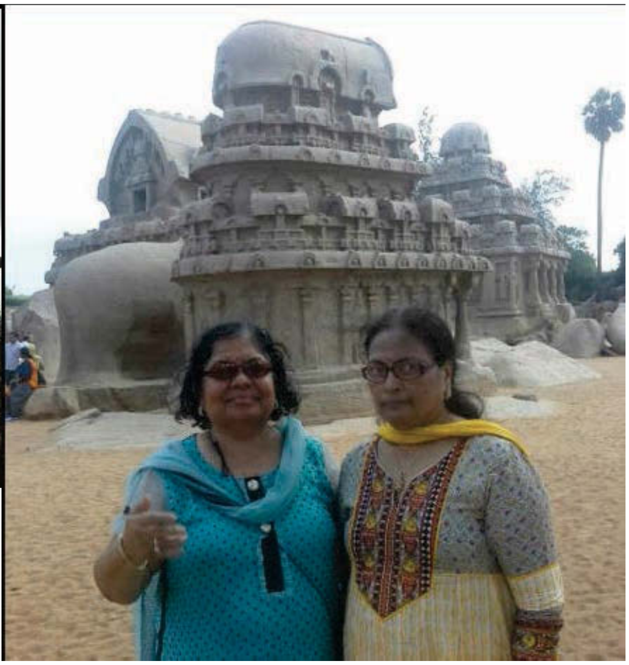
on our last leg of trip we went to Mahabalipuam

Panch Rathas of Pandavas in Mahabalipuram

Neeru and Sheo

Sheo in Mahabalipuram

Neeru, I, Suresh baboo and Sharda



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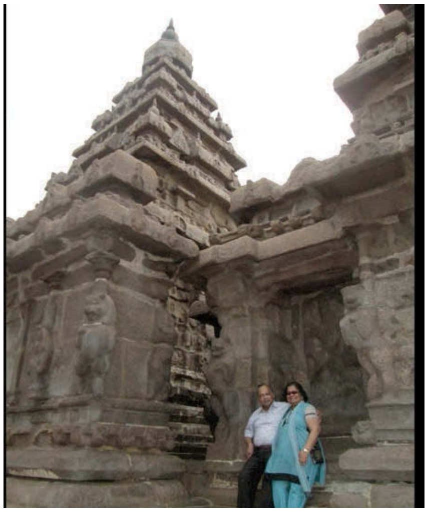


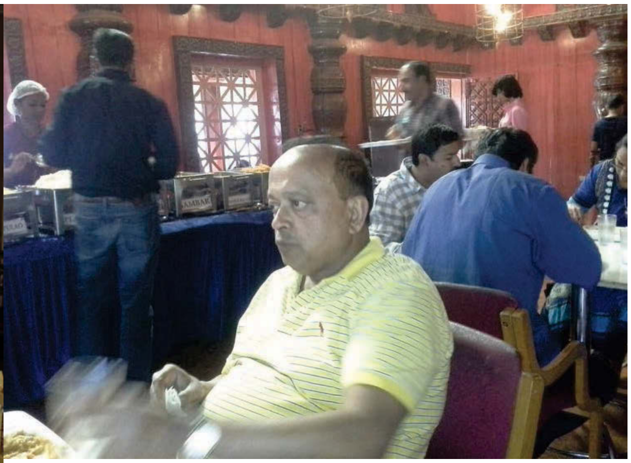
Sheo and Neeru

Panch rathas of Pandavas in Mahabalipuram

12/21/2014 We came back to Bangalore. Rested at home and got ready for going on the Hyderabad trip next day

We flew from Bangalore to Hyderabad on 12/22/14 and took a lift in India's equal of Uber to Ramoji City.

Merry Christmas



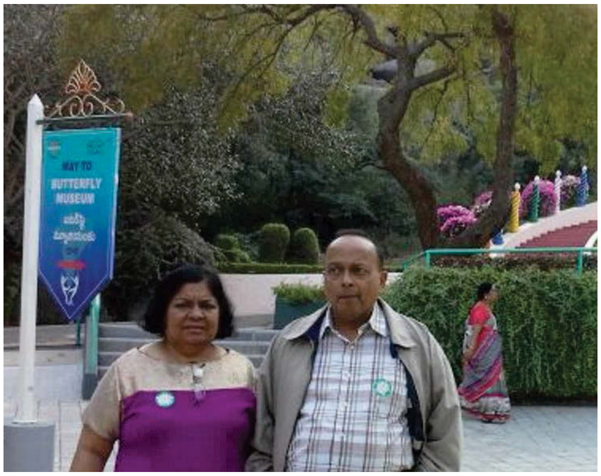
I and Suresh Baboo in the hotel Lobby

I eating in Hotel's cafeteria

The whole place was decorated in Christmas and New Years Celebration

The next morning we went for Ramoji City's built in Stage for a king's durbar which has been a fixture in many a Movies on . We also visited many artificially created 'scenarios' used in movies like Plane Disasters, and Train Accidents and such scenes

the next day we visited their well kept park and different activity park


WAY TO
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Neeru and I in Butterfly Museum

The activity Park Entrance

THE WILD WEST
STUNT SHOW
WILD WEST - STUNT SHOW

The next activity park

the next we went to the zoo where a bunch of different animals were kept

2015 new years celebration (6 days ahead)

12/26 to 27 We went to Madras to Shyam Todi's place Madras with Shyam,

12/28 to 12/31 Rajkumar Tekriwal's (Neeru's Chacha) 50th anniversary

shannon zirkle

Rajkumarji Tekriwal ,chachji with Padma chachiji

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Sumedha with her daughter in hand, Neha T, Gora Bhabhi, Swati and Smita

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Neeru (3rd from left) with all the Tekriwal Betis and Bahus

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Prakash Rajgarhia (Foofaji) in a South Indian dress and Sanjukta Bhuvaji giving a present to Raju chacha and Padma Chachi

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50th anniversary couple

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Pratima, Sushil Baboo, I and Neeru

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All the Tekriwals gathered around the Swimming pool for Swimming competition

shannon zirkle

Vivek, Sumedha with daughter in hand, Smita, Gora Bhabhi, Sajan Bhaiyya, Yash and Neha T

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All the ladies from Tekriwal Parivaar

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All the attendees at the 50th anniversary celebration

shannon zirkle

5 brothers dancing together, Mahesh chacha, Raju Chacha, Sitaramji (Babooji), Badri Chachaji, Shankar chacha

shannon zirkle

Bhavani chachi, Badri Chacha, Raju chacha, Padme chachi and Sharda Chachi

2015

We were on the tail end of our trip to India. We spent New Year celebration at Bangalore

Sheetal, Mr Sonthalia, Neeru, and Prashant

Neeru and Prashant

Neeru opening her gift

Prashant making announcements while Bhaiyyaji, Sheetal, Bhabhiji and Krishna listen

The New years Party in Bangalore 2015….the participants

New Years Party 2015 in Bangalore, kids in a game

Then flew from Bangalore to Dubai on a trip to Sunil Tekriwal.

We started from Bangalore at 10:20 AM on 4/1/15 and reached Dubai @ 1:00 P.M. At the airport, we were received by Sunil, who took us to his place in Sharjah

We saw that afternoon/evening Dubai mall, which has almost all the world's most famous stores, an aquarium and indoor skating site and from mall itself Burj Khalifa, the world's tallest structure. Everything was well maintained. The parking lot has a sensor in each spot which tells us if that spot has any parked car or not, so that at the entrance itself you know which floor and where to park your car

We dined at P F Chang's , in the mall itself. Its food was as good as America.

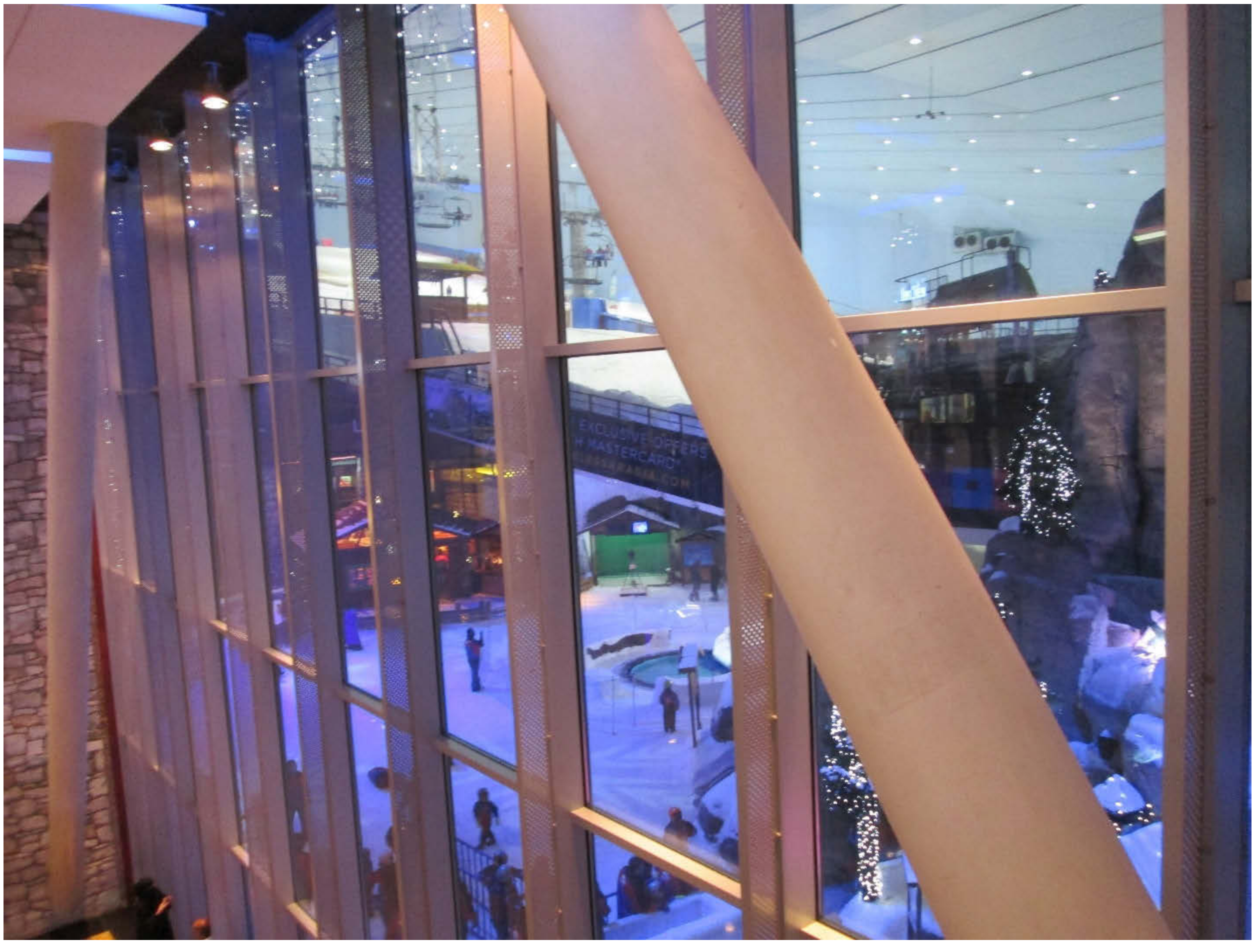
The apartment is situated near a lake, that has a nice morning walk area, which we took advantage of daily

On the 5th, late morning we went to Burj Khalifa and took several photographs of its elaborate vertical structure

Burj Khalifa ----Dubai's (world's) tallest tower

Neeru and Sheo by the Burj Khalifa

We then went to Emirates mall and saw the indoor skiing area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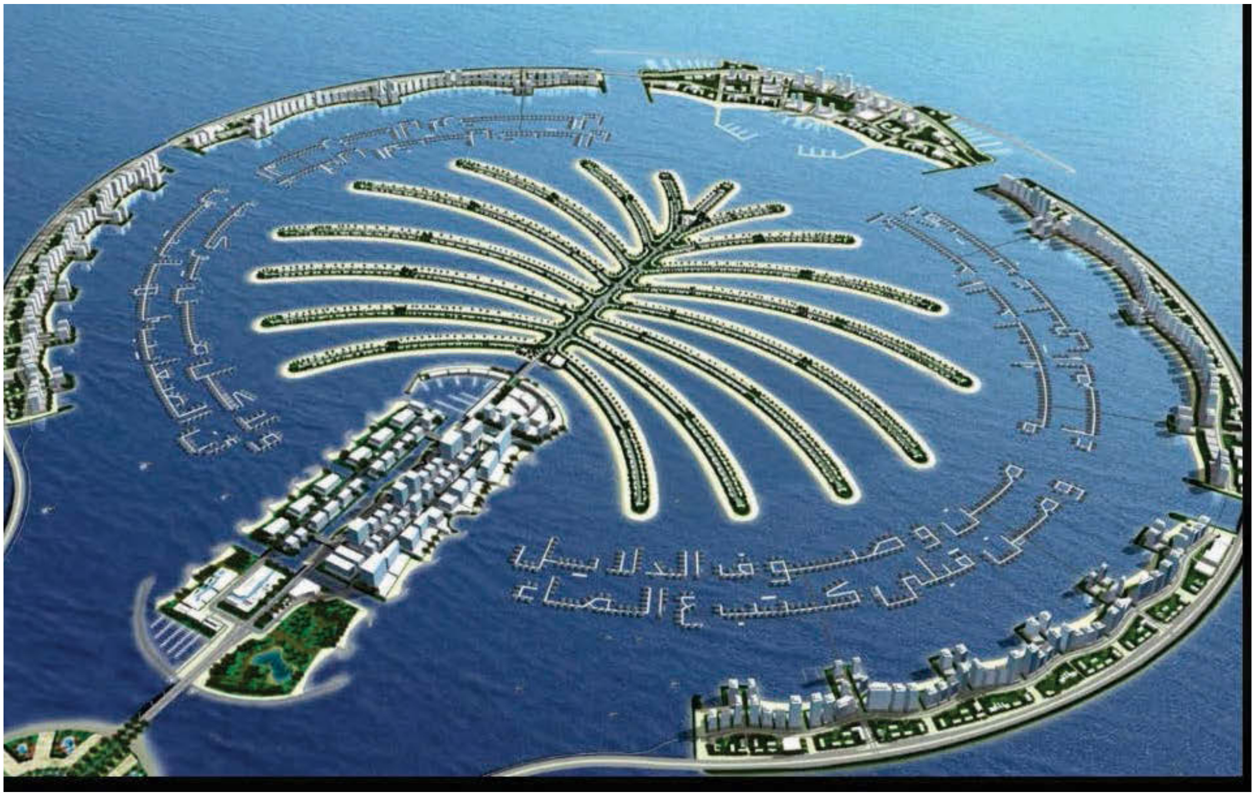
Skiing area in indoors mall

I and Nirmala in the skiing area

At night we went to a nice Indian dining place, where a bunch of singers and dancers were doing film music from 60’s or 70’s. I asked for “in aankhon ki masti ke” and “piya tu abto aja” and both were played. It was worth remembering

On the third day we went around Sharjah, then went to Sunil’s shop and warehouse.

Then we went to “Palm Jumeirah”. “Palm” is a man-made island, 16 arms in the Dubai waters , each having luxury apartments, surrounded by an outer layer called the crescent



We went on the right half of the crescent. From that position the Burj al Arab (the hotel with a ship type shape) is visible.

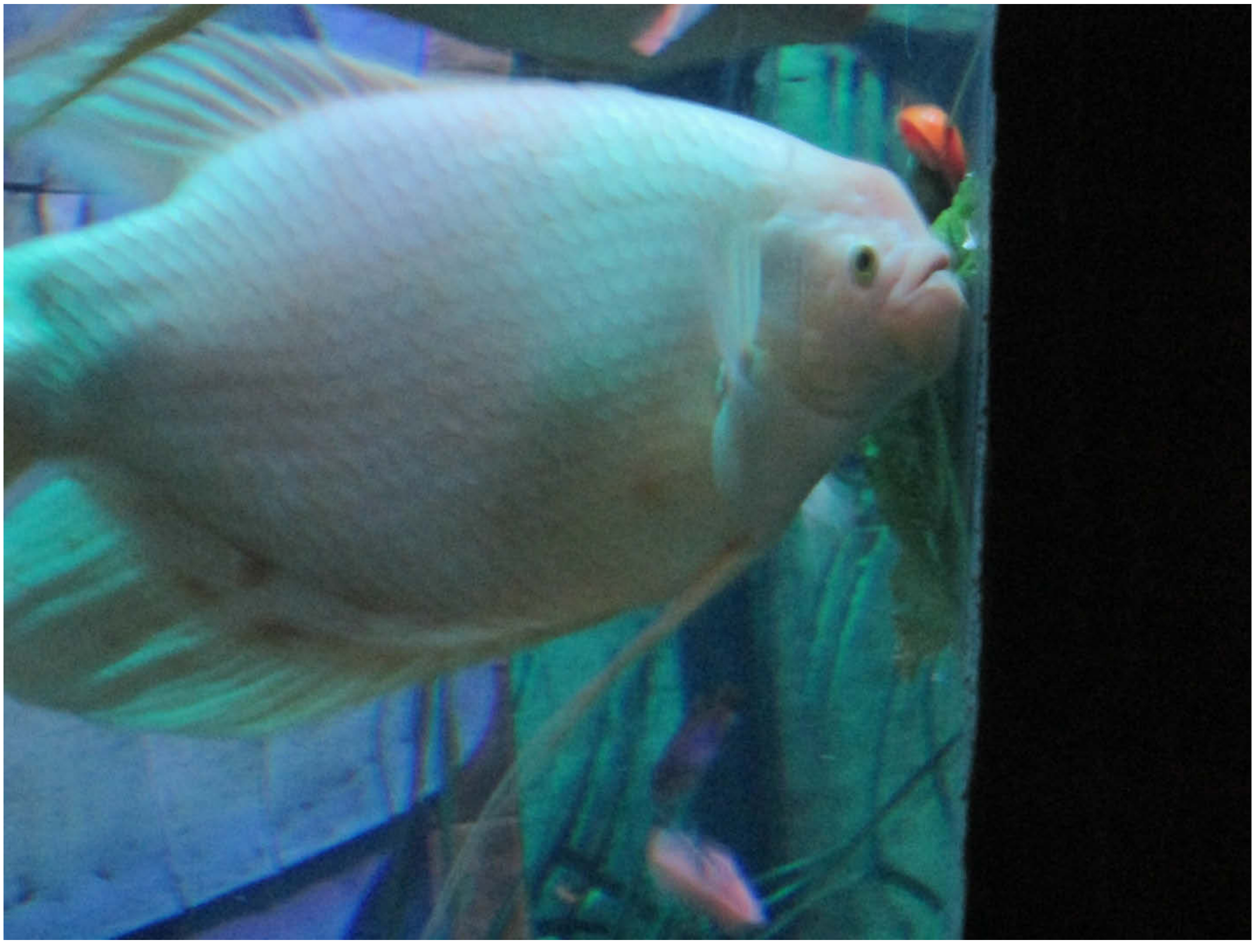
Neeru and I by Burj Al Arab

Neeru and Sunil by Burj Al Arab

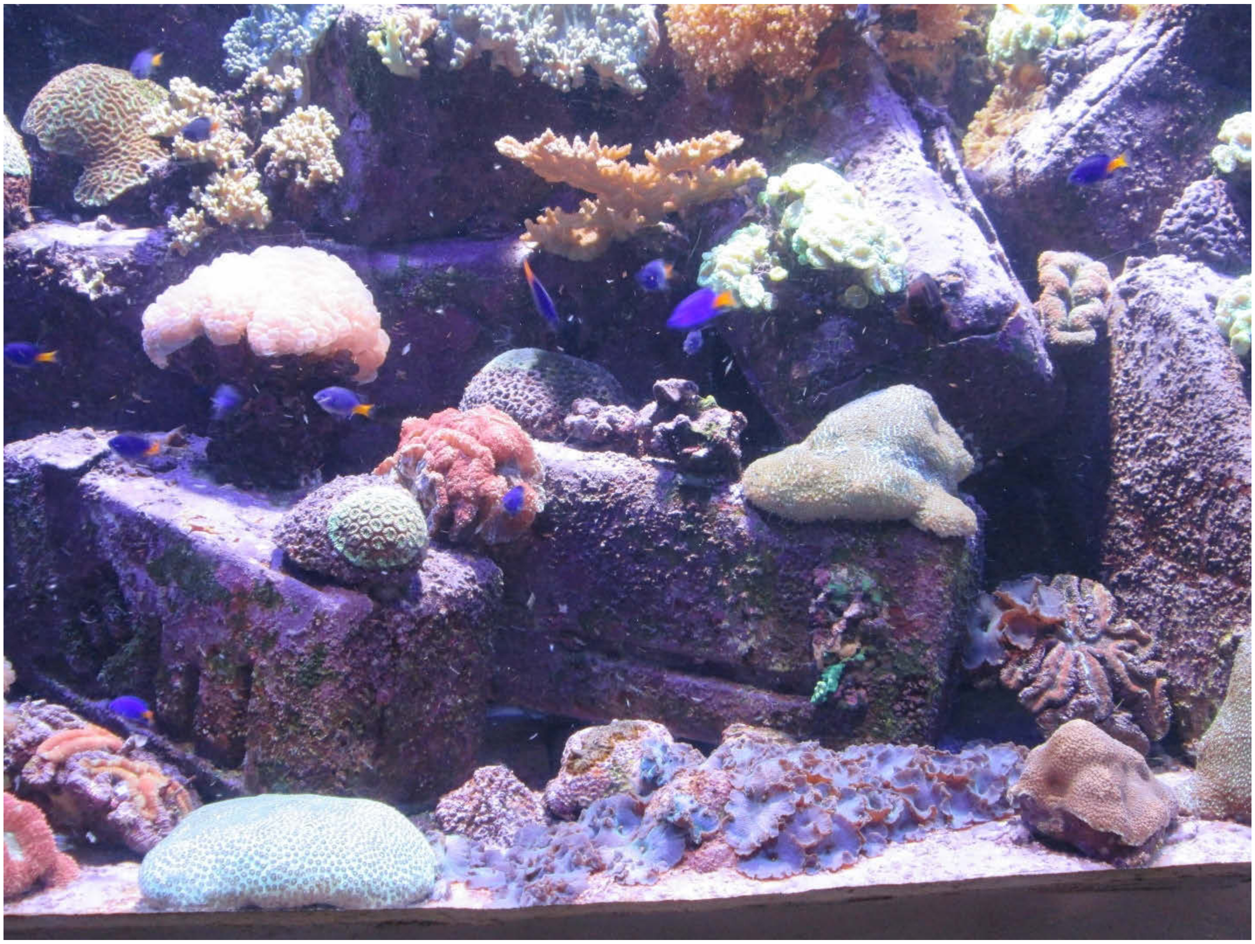
Sunil and I by Burj Al Arab

Then we went to Atlantis hotel (the second is located in Bahamas). We went inside of Atlantis and saw its Aquarium

Sunil and Neeru by aqarium



The aquarium 1



The aquarium 2

We came back and saw the famous “gold souk”. The collection of heavy gold ornaments was amazing

Neeru at ‘Gold Souk’ 1

Neeru at ‘Gold Souk’ 2

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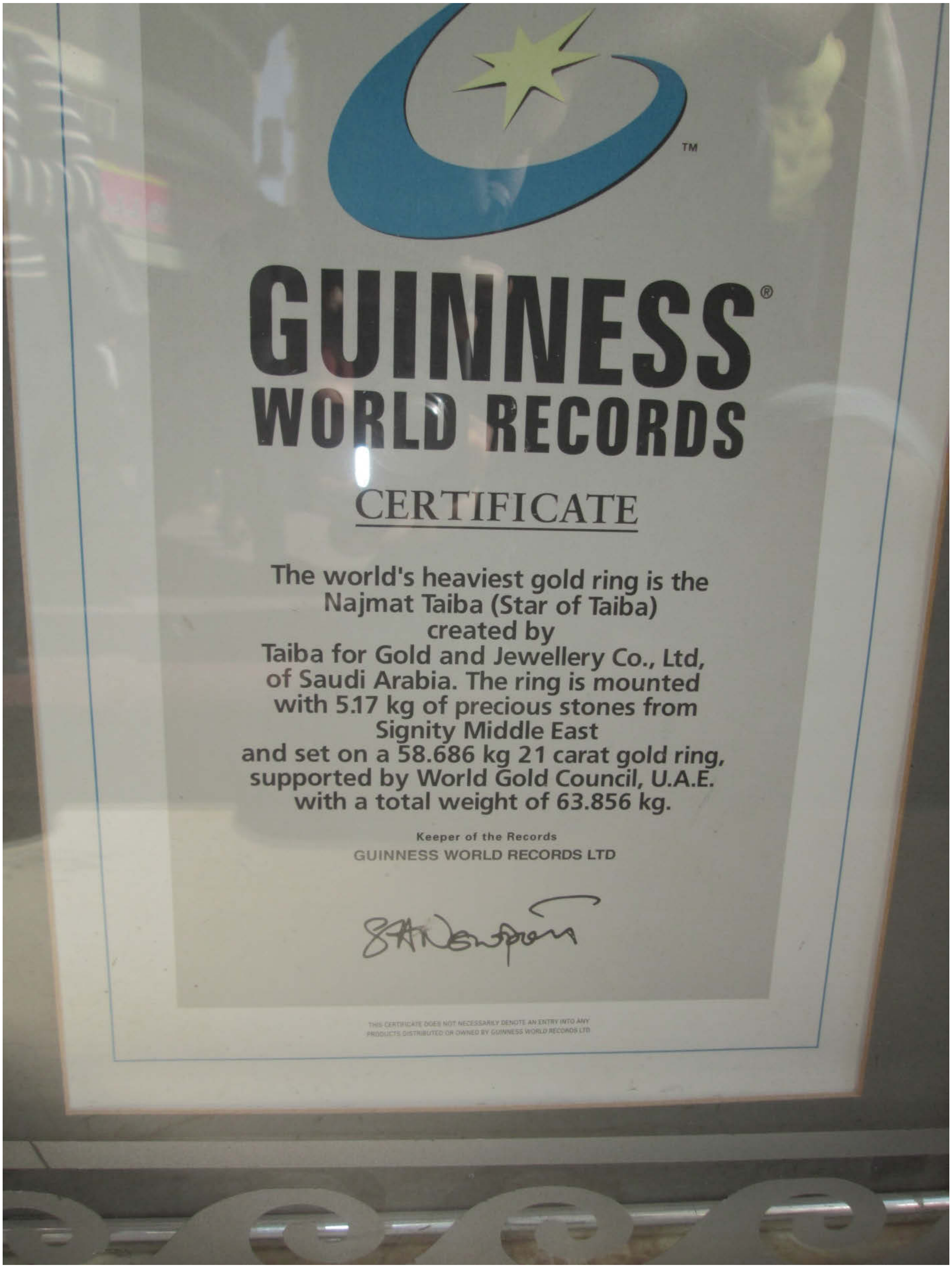
Neeru unhappy that she did not get the jewelry at ‘Gold Souk’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We had lunch at Sukh Sagar

In the evening we visited Dubai's Italian place and then came to Airport for flight leaving at 2:00 am. by------- and arrived at JFK airport on January 7, 2015, Where sudhir picked us up

One thing we noted in Dubai, everything was properly maintained. The roads are like new (no erosion due to rains), A collection of skyscrapers in Dubai and Sharzah. At this rate it would become world's most important metropolis

Thanks to Sunil and his son Sulabh, our trip to Dubai was worth it.

In the USA Sanjay with Deepa and Jaidan were in Baltimore. Sanjay in the Finance Department of PEPSICO. Sameer was in Philadelphia working in Finanta. His House was finished with two Tenants living with him.

Sudhir was in Albany working as Assistant Professor at Union College and Saurabh was finishing his MBA

from Carnegie Mellon University in Pittsburgh

Sheo and Neeru were in their Martinsville home in New Jersey. Raghunath Bhaiyya and Prem Bhabhi resided in their Troy, Michigan home

Alka was living in a new apartment in Brooklyn with a new job. Amit continued his job at D E Shaw with Vidya staying home. Anju staying with Mckenzie in California.

As soon as I came home, we learnt that Sunil's both sons were involved in a car accident.

Saurabh came back from school and went back to school on 1/13.

Sudhir, Sarmili, Dr Shah and Mrs Shah came here for the first food tasting at Rockaway. Sanjay, Deepa and Jaidan came down on 1/17.

This year it was super snowy.

At home , our parking lot was too icy. On one of the trips mom fell on ice and broke her head at the crown. we took her to emergency room, and she got 3 stitches. Her Doctor was Rekha Agarwal

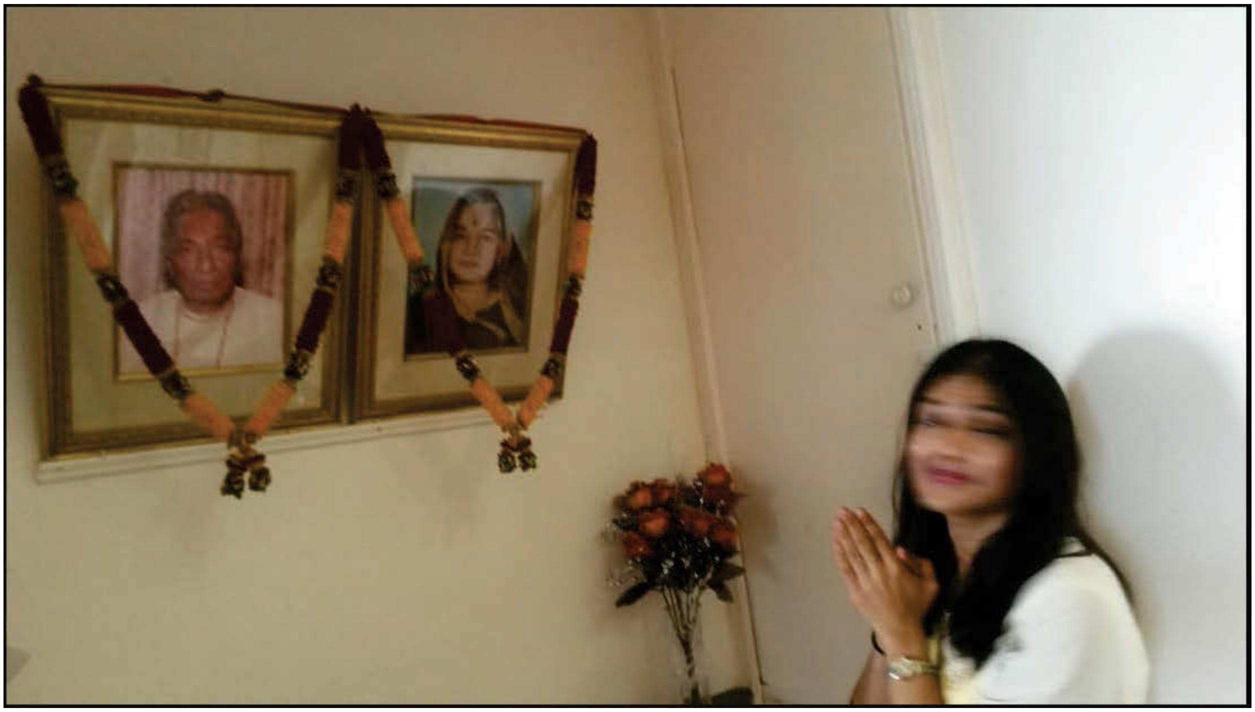
We went again to the food tasting at Akbar's; Us, Sarmili/ Sudhir and Mr. and Mrs. Saha. Then again, we went for food tasting to Palace of Asia with Sudhir and Sarmili

Sarmili went with her mom to Kolkata for some shopping for the wedding. They stayed with Babooji in Kolkata and met all of Neeru's relatives in Kolkata

Sarmili with Nanaji

Sarmili and her mom with Nanaji

Sarmili with Asha chachi and Gora Chachi



Sarmili praying with folded hands to Diwangat Dadaji and Dadiji

Sarmili and her mom with Suresh Phoohaji and Sharda Buaji

Sarmili with mommy's nieces Prakriti, Sushma, Sumedha, Swati and Neha ganeriwala

Sarmili and her mom with all the women at Kolkata; Asha Chachi, Gora Chachi, Suchita Dadiji and Pratima Mausiji

and finally, Sucheta Chachi applied tilak to Sarmil's head

On 3/4 to 3/19, we went for Jaiden's 1st birthday to Baltimore by train. Jaiden also had his 1st haircut

In the meanwhile, OTH (over the hill) and SOTH (super over the hill) meetings continued

On 4/5 Sameer, Sudhir and Sarmili came home and we went to Vivek's marriage reception in Akbar

On 4/11, Alka engagement party took place at Junoon in NYC. Raghunath Bhaiyya and his family came here on 4/11. Holly came here in the evening and gave me the ride to go over to Junoon

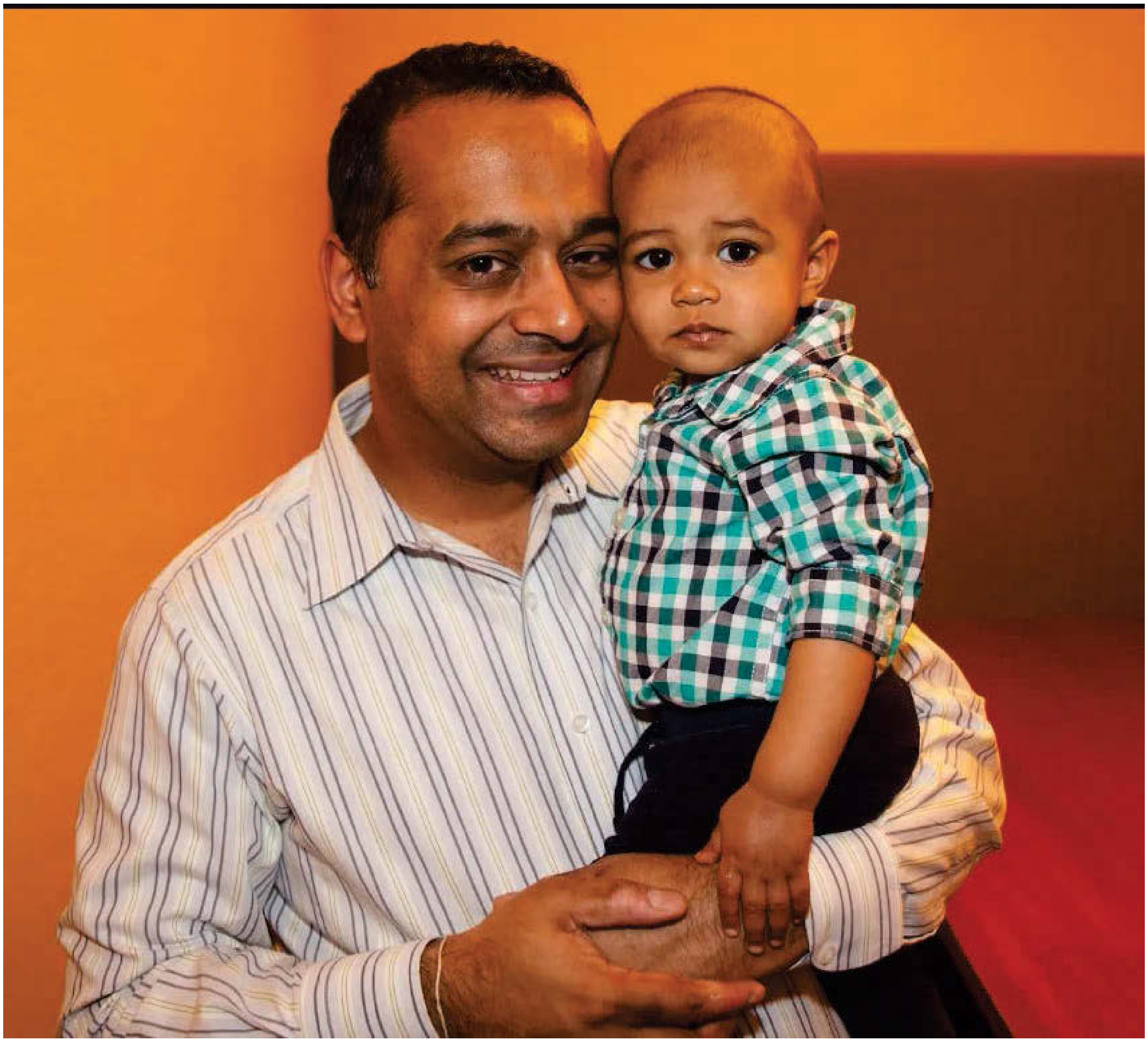
The Newly engaged couple---Alka Khetan and Amit Raghavan

The engaged couple with their parents

The complete families , Raghvans ang Khetans at Alka and Amit R engagement

The engaged couple with I and Neeru

Neeru, Alka and I



Sanjay with Jaiden

My blood pressure, and diabetes monitoring continued

Saurabh finished his requirements for his MBA degree from Carnegie Mellon university and went for a 2 month tour of the far east visiting 7 countries. We celebrated Saurabh's 32nd birthday in Indian world in Yardley, Pennsylvania. We invited Sameer also for this celebration.

Saurabh tried to organize basement, then he left for Pittsburgh on 5/28

Ashok Kulshreshtha came in to visit on 5/28 and left the next day

Sameer went to Albany with us (Dr Saha's place) to talk about the upcoming marriage of Sudhir and Sarmili, and see the wedding place and the sangeet place

Madhu, Sanjeev and Dhruv came here with Alka and Amit. Alka took us to Nisha's graduation party. we watched the Hindi movie Peekay with them. then Deepa came here and took them away

Saurabh's graduation happened at CMU on 5/15/15. We took a flight to Pittsburgh but the whole ceremony was very confusing. The flight was somewhat delayed. We Had hired a B and B place which was ok. In the afternoon the graduation ceremony was conducted in an open environment

On 5/16/15 we went from there to Troy Michigan with Saurabh, to Prem Bhabhi's place. It was ICAE (Indus Center for Academic Excellence)'s 20th anniversary. We went in Saurabh's car to Grand Rapids Michigan where we were guests at Ashok Kulshreshtha

On 5/26 we came back to our home in New Jersey

On 5/30 at our home, we had a third TBK (Tekriwal, Bagadia, Khetan) party #3

On 6/3 Saurabh came home, mom saw Dr Rekha Agarwal on 6/5, and 6/6 celebrated Zeenat' s engagement

On 6/8 Saurabh left for Pittsburgh

6/10 Dr Firestone tested mom's eyes and announced that mom had cataracts

6/19 Mom went to Sarmilli' s wedding shower. She rode to Amsterdam with Sarmili' s friend Sumanta Banerjee, who worked here in Bridgewater

6/20 we went to Chand Palace for food testing for Bhabhi's party for Vidya's baby shower

6/22 Saurabh came home with newly bought car Audi

6/23 Neeru's leg cartilage was gone, Dr examined and suggested a Total Knee Replacement Surgery

7/16 Everybody began gathering here for Sudhir and Sarmili' s wedding

7/16 Saurabh came

7/18 everyone from India came: Bhaiyya Jee/Bhabhiji, Shankar baboo/Shanti, Suresh baboo/Sharda and Neeru's Babooji came

7/23-7/26 Sudhir/Sarmili 's wedding ceremony in Albany, they got married on 7/25

7/23 Evening we celebrated the Raksha Bandhan function in the Khetan family

on 7/24/15 Mahesh baboo (Tekriwal)gave a luncheon party at Spicy Mint , 145 wolf road , Albany to all 73 people of the home party

7/25 evening the marriage ceremonies started with a Sangeet Party

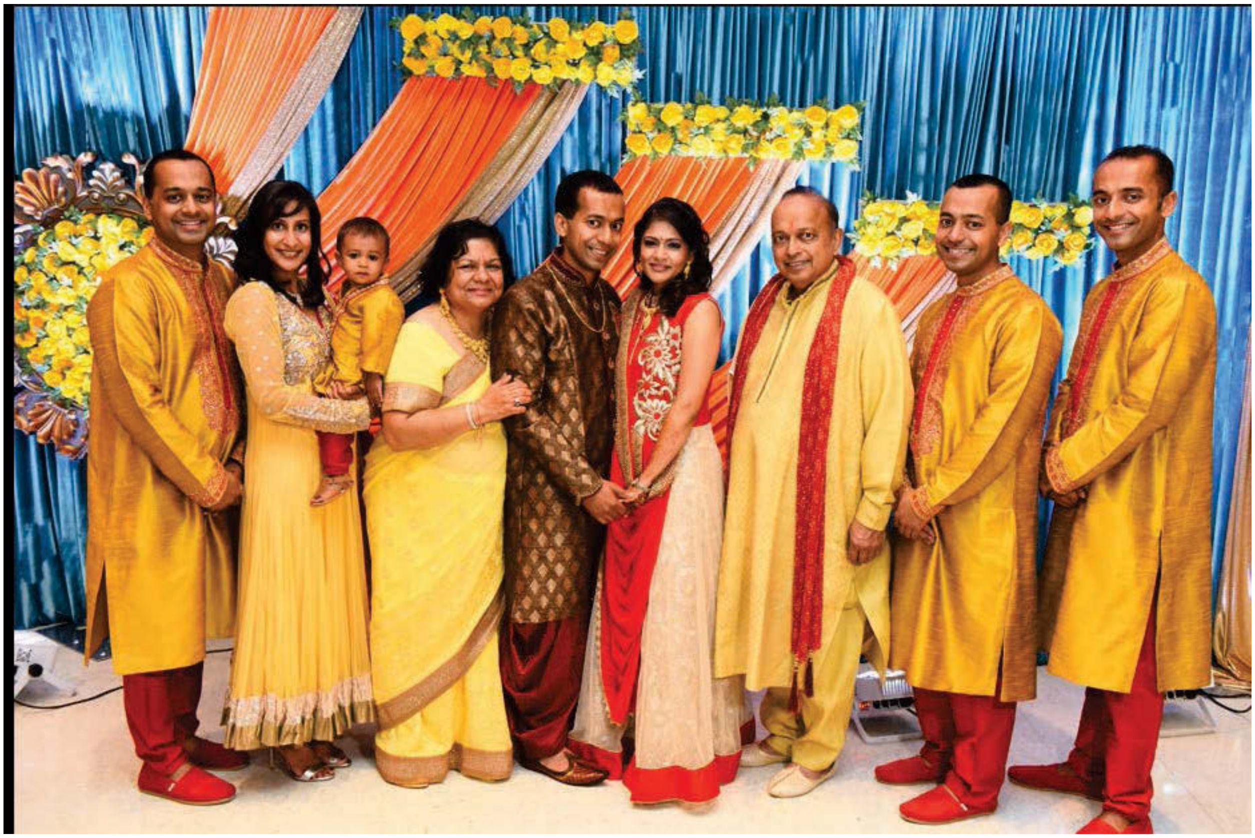
Three ladies ,Neeru Bimla, Bhabhi ji, and Prem Bhabhi ji start the sangeet with a Bhajan of Ganeshji Maharaj

Juhi performing a dance

All the women from our side performing

Radghunath Bhaiyya, Banwari Bhaiyya, Naval and bhabhis dancing with Sameer as the leader

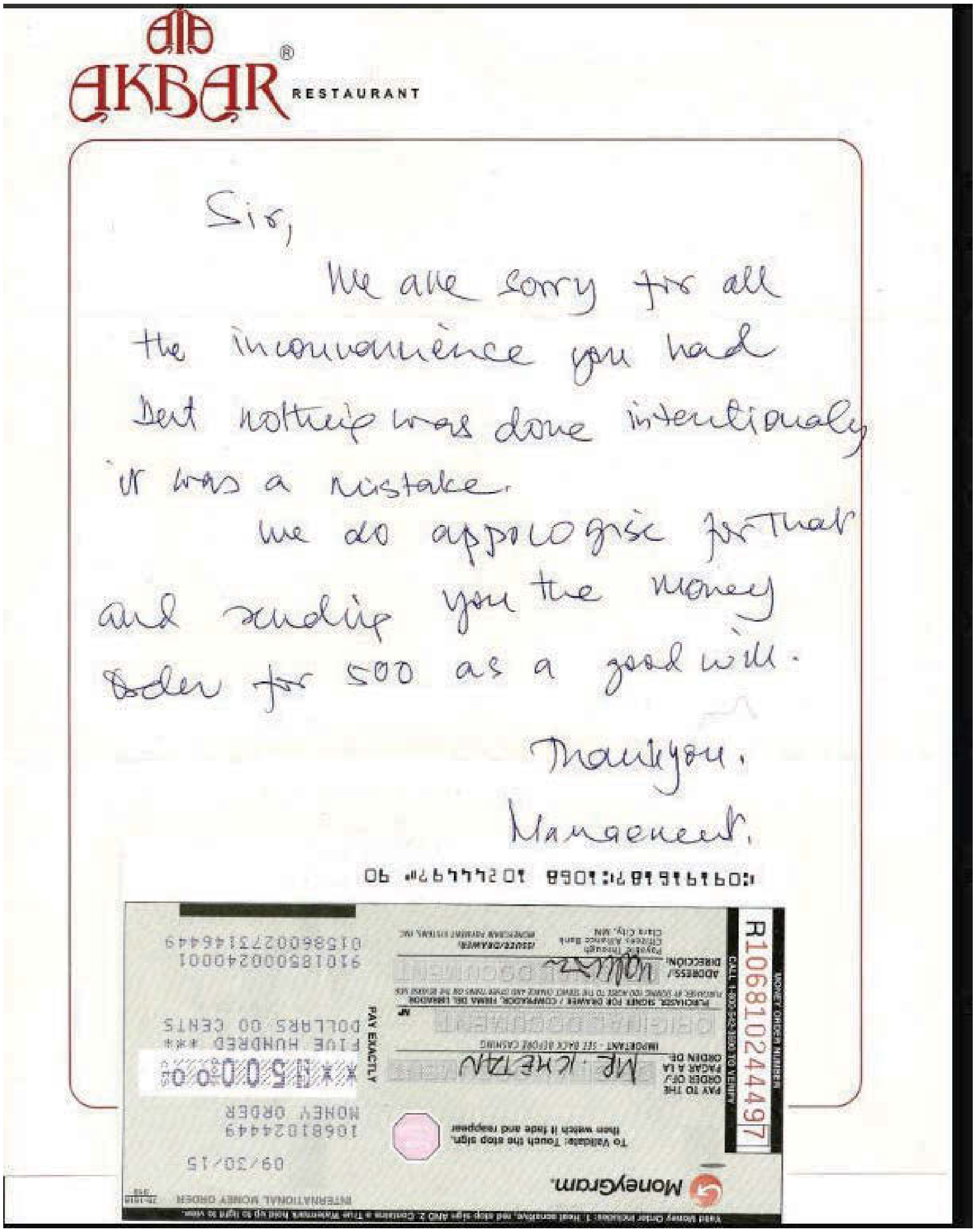
The three brothers dancing



Sudhir,Sarmili with Sanjay, Deepa, Jaiden, Mom, I, Sameer and Saurabh

Sudhir, Sarmili with her parents---Mrs Basanti Saha and Dr Proshant Saha

One thing that was missing was , our caterer From New Jersey had forgotten to bring any dessert. It was committed and he just did not provide. We were very upset, pursued this with him. And after several notices, they finally accepted their mistake and issued a check for US$ 500



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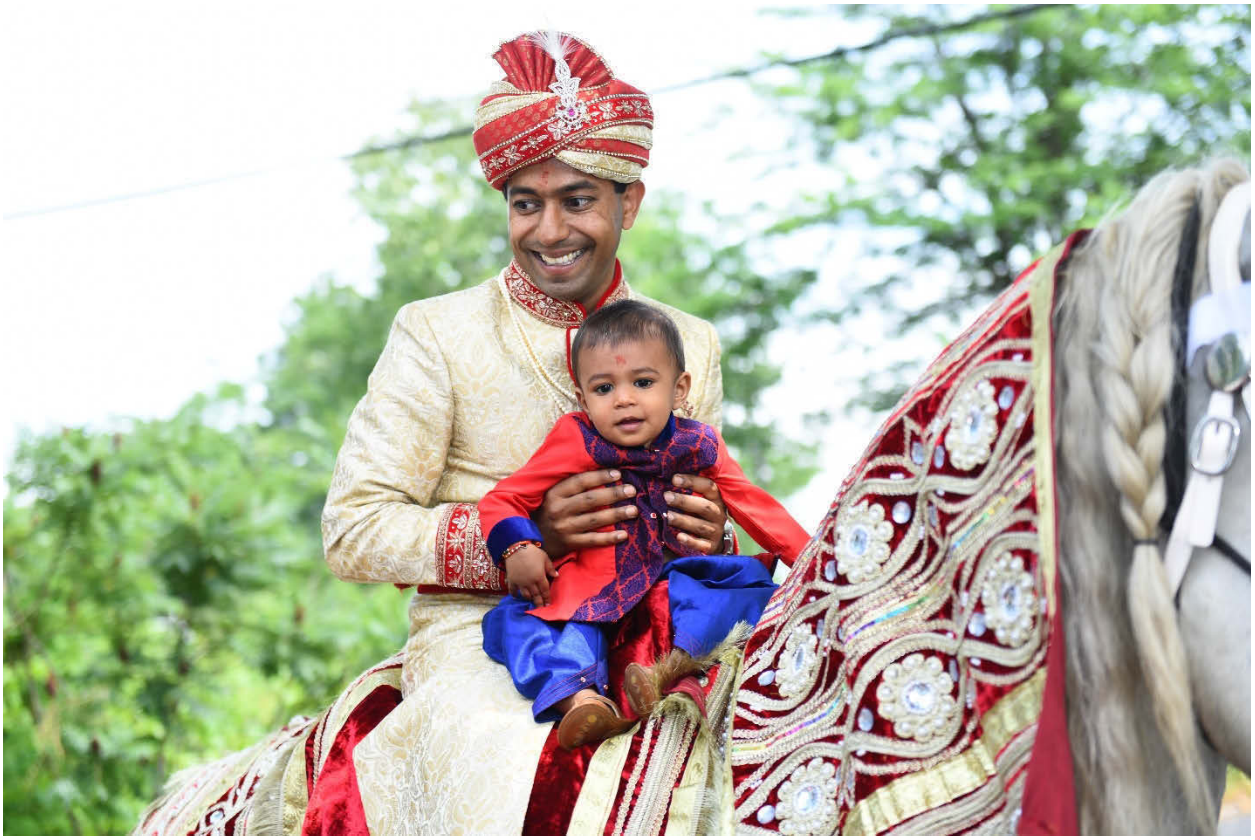
The three jawaiins setting up Sudhir's pagadi before going for barat

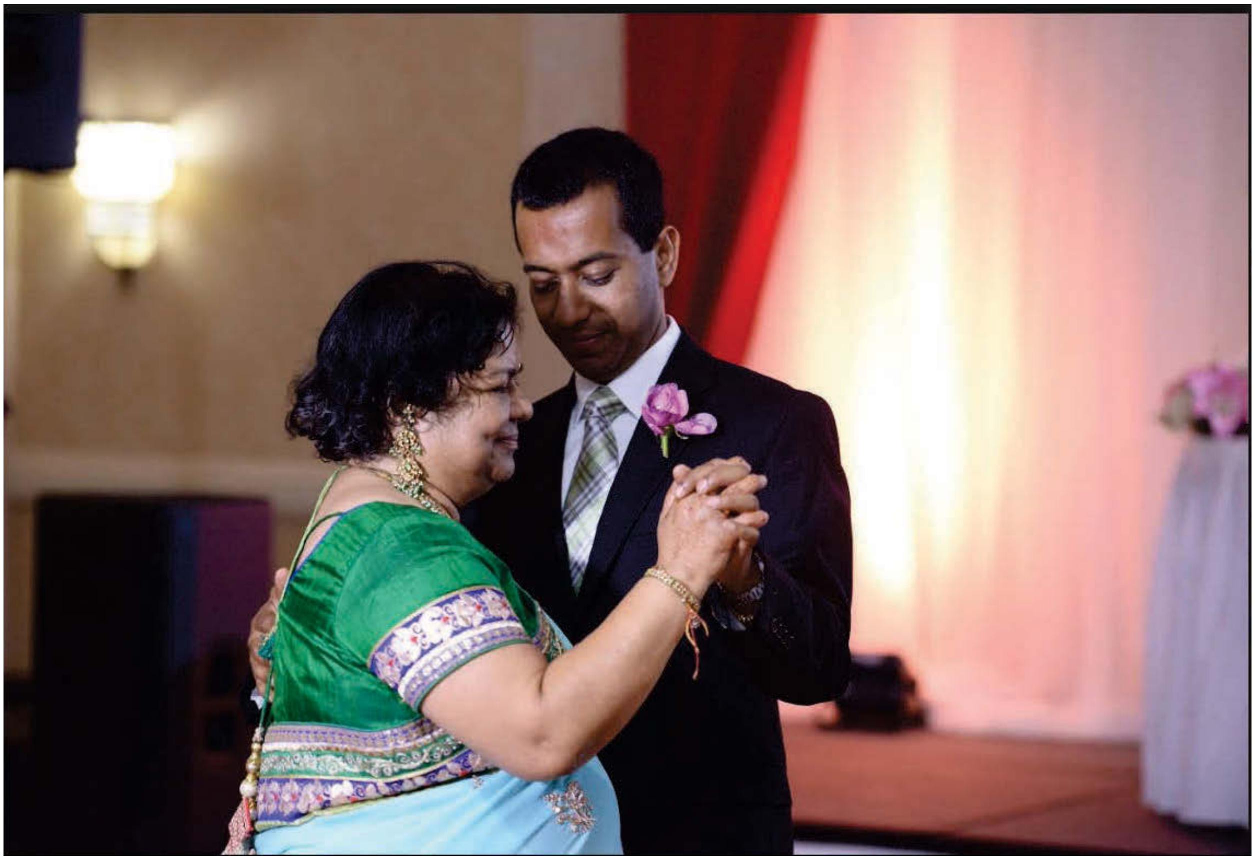
Shankar Baboo, Justin and Suresh Baboo

All baratis dancing



Sudhir on horse along with ‘vinayak’ Jaiden

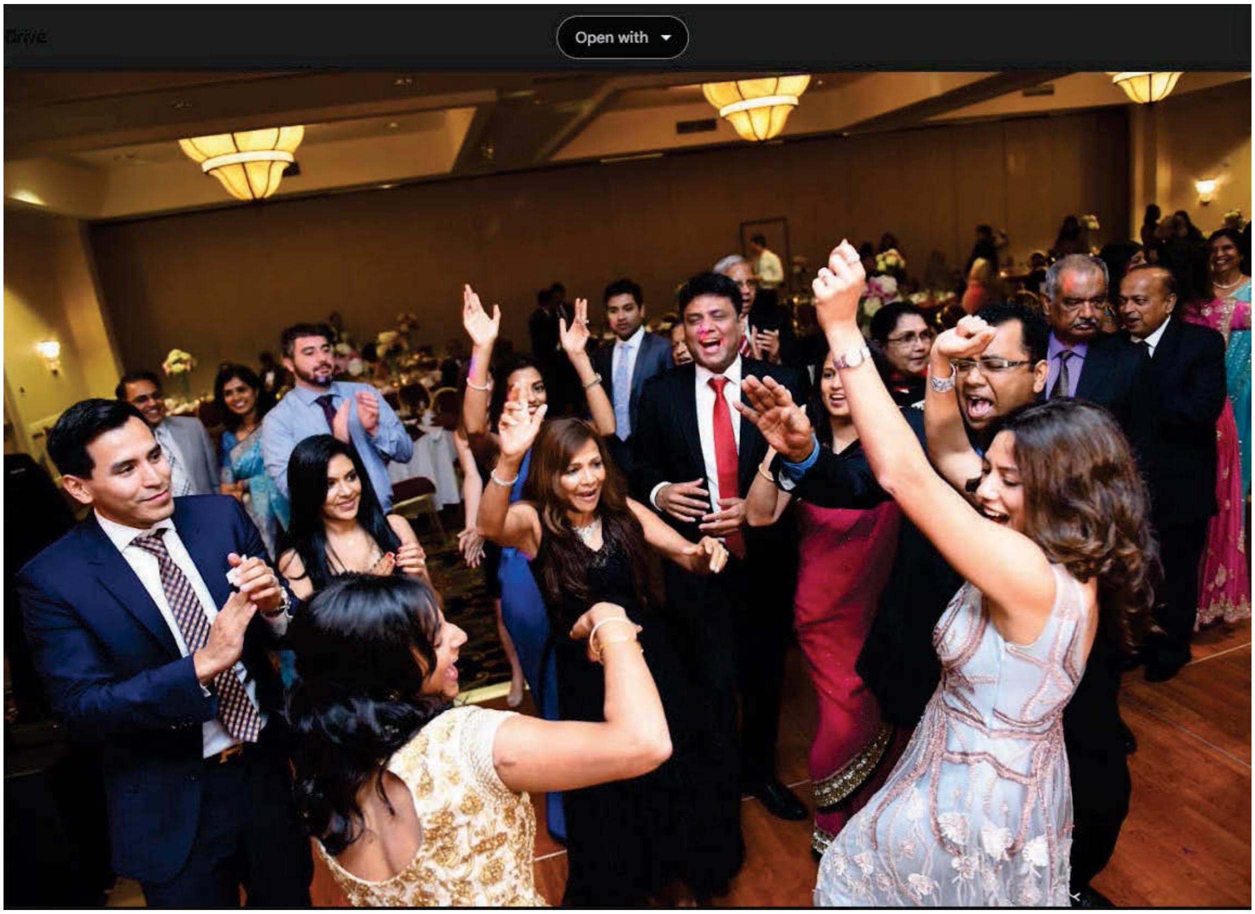
Sudhir getting ready for the marriage with Sarmili (not there per bengali custom) with pandit and Dr Saha and I and Neeru



In the reception, 1st dance of Mom and the Bridegroom

Entering the reception room--- I and Nirmala

Speech I and Bhaiyya Jee



In the reception room----all the wedding goers

Babooji (Sudhir's nanaji) in the reception room

And finally Sarmili and Sudhir married

QR code of Sangeet Program 7/24 evening

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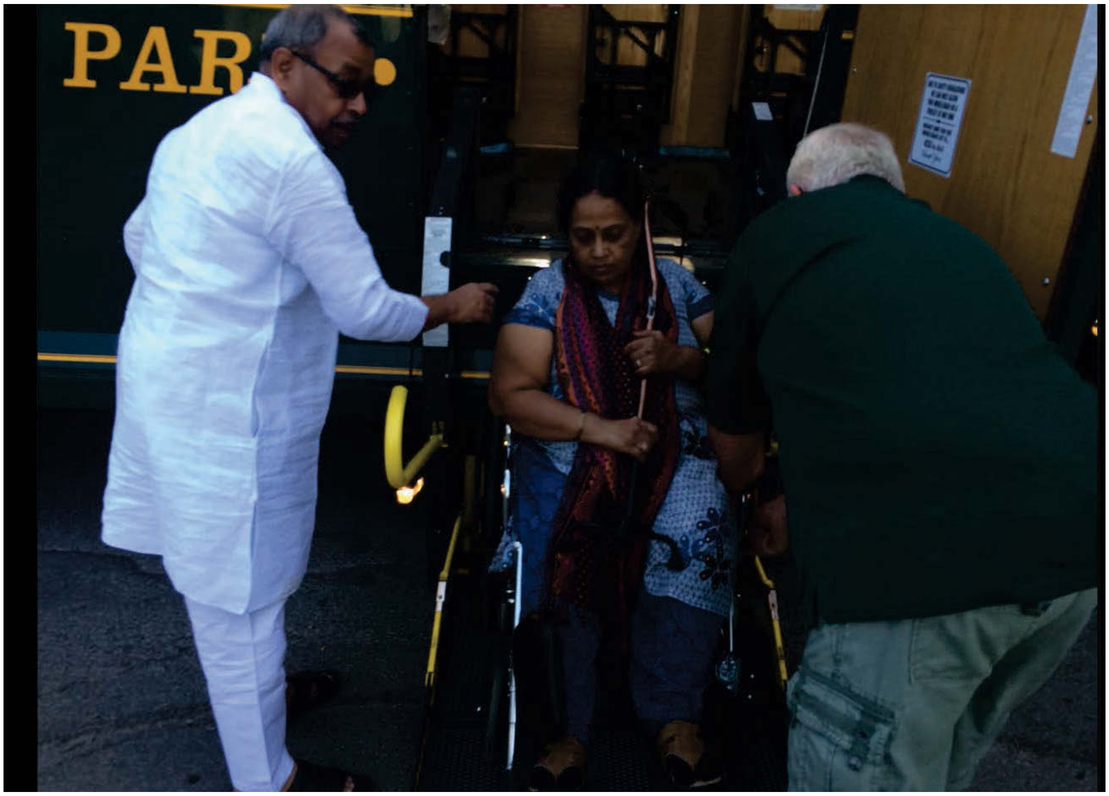
QR code of reception program 7/25 evening

7/27 Bhaiya/Bhabhi went to Detroit with Bhaiyyaji and Bhabhiji

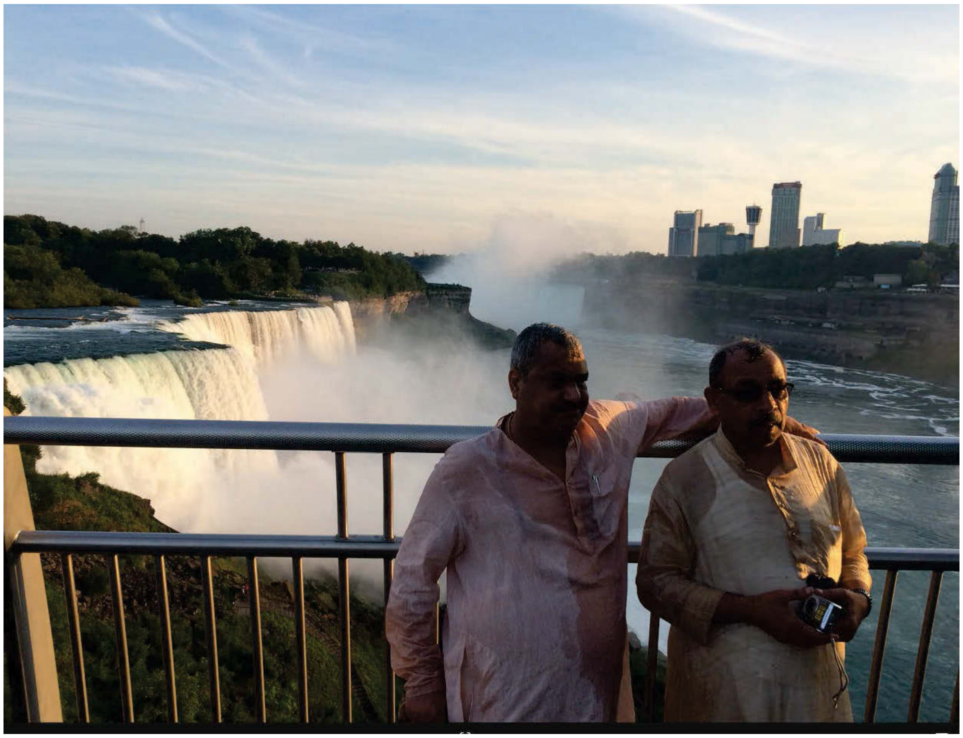
7/28-7/29 Went to Niagara Falls with Saurabh and Shanti, Sharda, Suresh Baboo and Shankar Baboo

On Niagara tour…Sharda



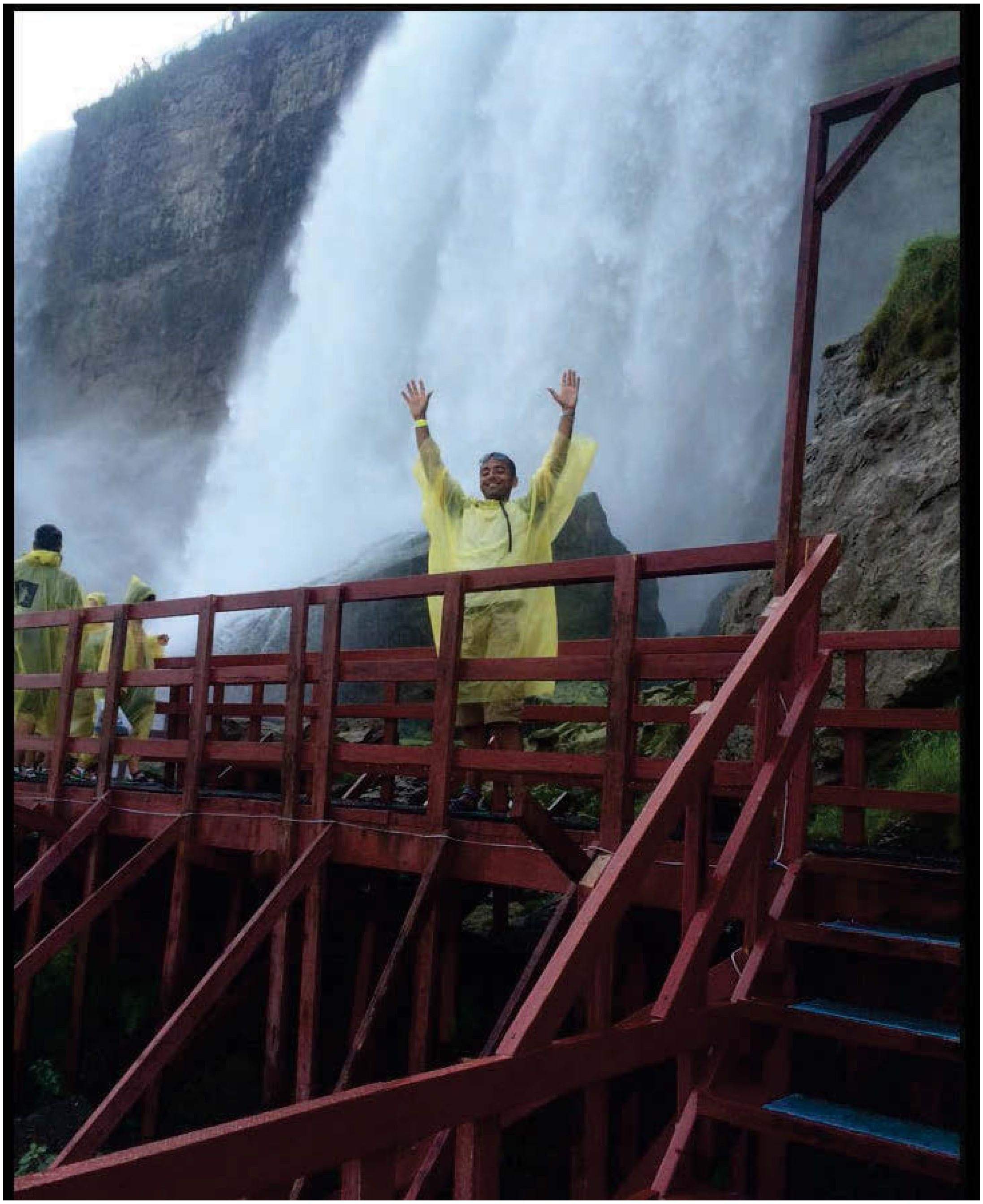
Shanti and Shankar Baboo, To get Shanti on the bus

A Specialized wheelchair loading equipment was used



Both Fufajis at Niagara falls

Suresh Baboo and Sharda ready for ‘Maid of the Mist’



Saurabh at the Niagara

and then Saurabh went to Michigan

7/31-8/5 We stayed home with India guests, went to, NY City , took all (Babooji and Suresh baboo) to NYC Ferry , Ground Zero and Empire State Building.

On 8/6 We went to Bhalodiyas with Suresh Baboo and Shankar Baboo

On 8/18 Sudhir and Sharmili came home for the first visit as a couple and meet all the Indiawallas

Finally on 8/10 we dropped all the Indiawallas and they went by Jet Air to India

On 8/11 we picked up Bhaiyyajee from the Airport. We went to temple for DOSA. We saw Bajrangee Bhaijaan

On 8/12 visited Bhalodiyas with Bhaiyyajee

On 8/14 Sachin picked them up (Bhaiyyajee and Bhabhiji)

On 8/18 Bhaiyyaji/ Bhabhiji came and we went by Greyhound to visit Martins. There Naval picked us , took us to Luray caverns. We also saw a play by Anupam Kher in Washington DC

At home, Amit, Vidya and Sonya came to meet us. The next day Dolly met us. Then Kicha and Mala Ganapathy met us. Then 8/25 Bhaiyyaji left for India.

On 8/26 Kailash and Sarla Jain came to visit us

On 8/29 we attended Ram katha at Sunil Bagadia’ s place

9/2 Sameer went to visit Sudhir, He developed a reaction to step throat medicine. He was hospitalized

On 9/12 Sameer came to Martinsville with Sudhir, Sarmili and Shreyashi and looked much better.

On 9/15 Sanjay vacated Baltimore and moved to Rye Brook, NY

He came to NJ on 9/19

9/20 Alka’s marriage preparation started. First Madhu and Manish came to USA on 9/20. Alka picked them up from airport and took them to Sachin’s place

Raghunath Bhaiyya, Prem Bhabhi, Anju, Justin, Bhabhi’s sister Kiran and her husband Ramesh Baboo, Madhu, Manish, Sanjay, Deepa, Jaiden, Alka and Sameer , all gathered at Martinsville on 9/21 for Alka’s wedding on 9/23. We all went to Camelback, Poconoes for the wedding

Alka’s wedding took place in Camelback Resort, Poconoes from 9/25 to 9/27/2015

9/25 Mehandi

9/26 Sangeet and

9/27 Wedding and Reception

Alka’s mother-in-law Parula, Alka’s Father-in-law Prakashji Raghvan Amit the groom, Alka and Anisha the sister-in-law,

The Bride and The Groom

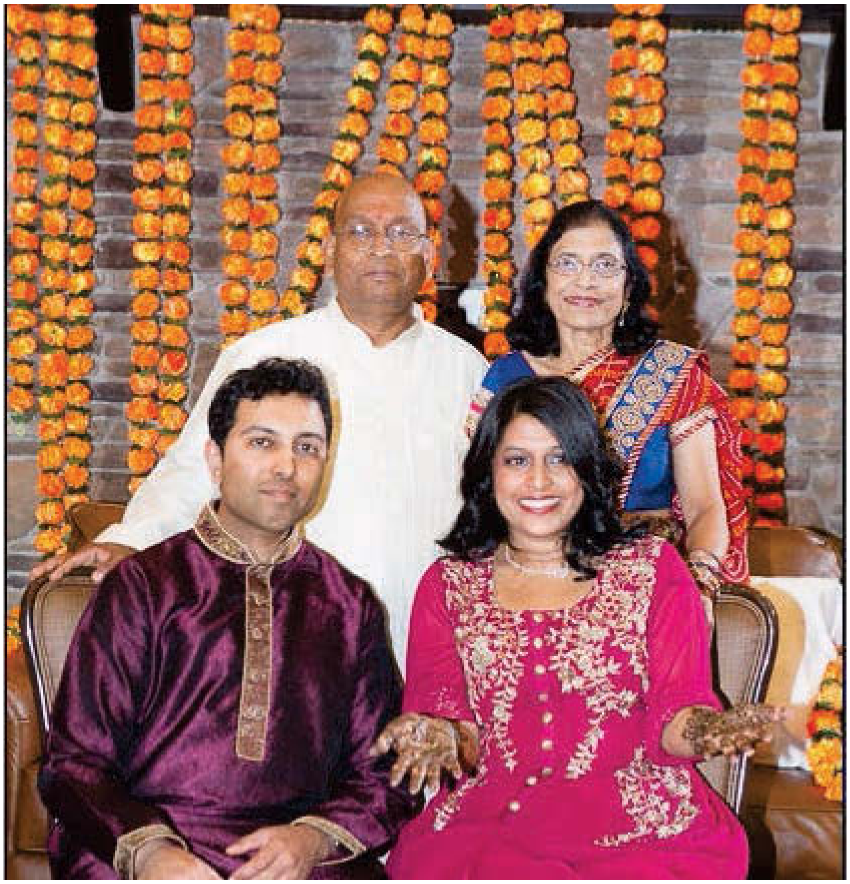
Amit and Alka with Alka’s immediate family

Sheo, Sanjay and Jaiden in arms

Alka’s dad, Chacha and Mama at one place

Alka with her cousins Neelam, Nisha and Holly

Alka with her Mom



Amit, Alka, and her Parents Raghunath Bhaiyya and Prem Bhabhi

Amit and Alka with all her side women at the wedding, including Madhu , her cousine from Bombay

Amit, Alka with their parents Prakash, Raghunath, Parula and Prem Lata

Amit and Alka with Sanjay, Madhu, Manish, Deepa with Jaiden

Amit and Alka with I and Nirmala

Amit and Alka with my entire family less Sudhir

Alka, Amit with his sister Anisha

I am applying pithi to Alka

Manish applying pithi to Alka

Community TeamWorks
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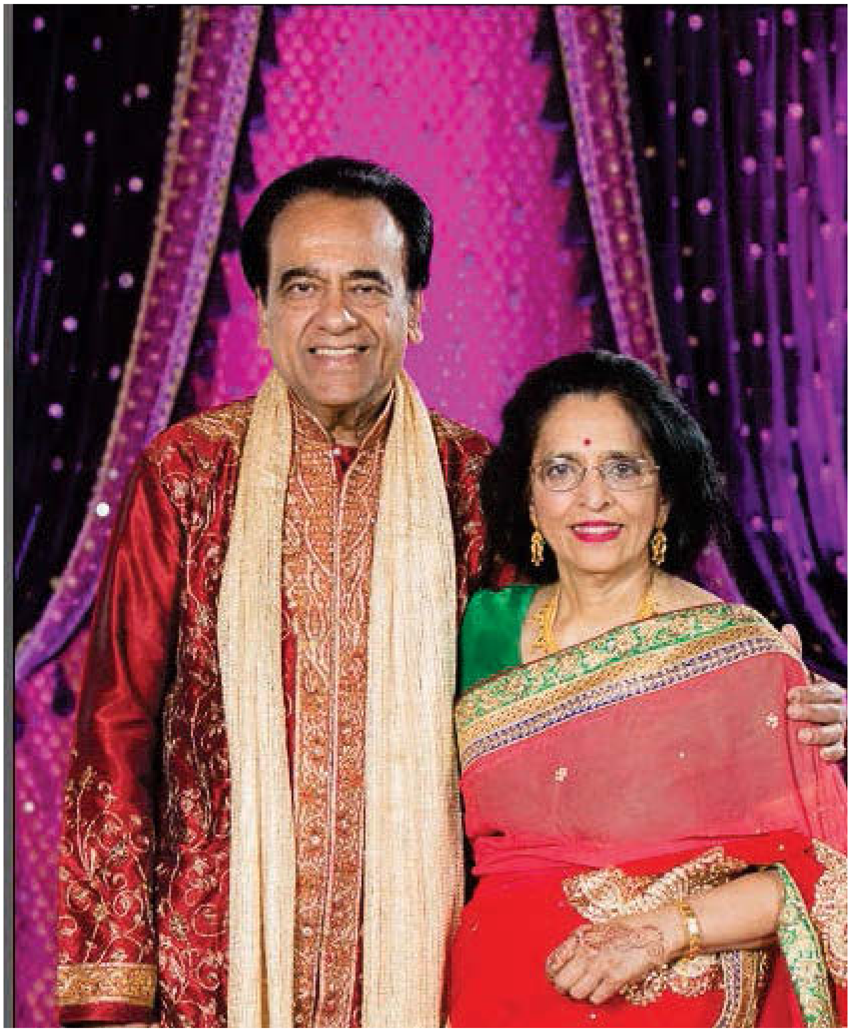
All the cousins applying pithi to Alka



Prakash and Parulaji

All four brothers

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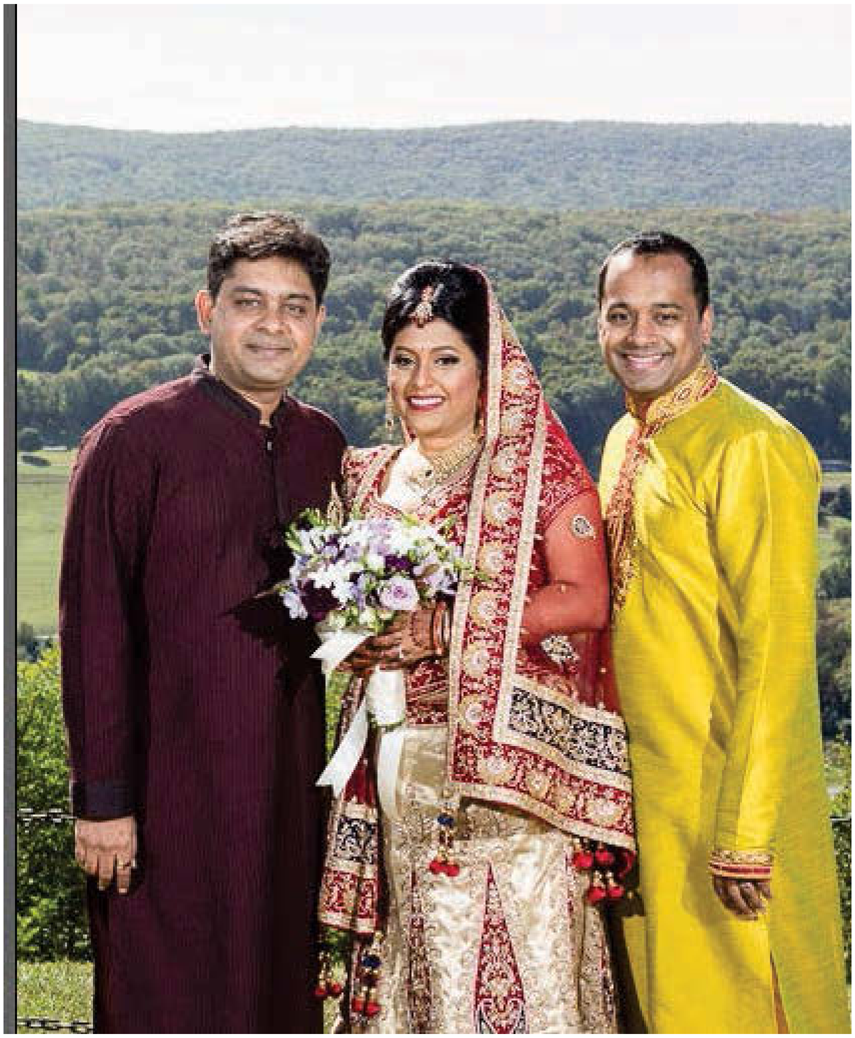


The three cousins, Manish, Alka and Sanjay

Amit carried to Vivah Mandap by cousins

Alka is escorted to the Mandap by her mamas Nand and Naval Todi

Alka and Amit finally Seated in the mandap with their parents as well as the Priest

Finally, the wedding is over and bride and groom with our whole family

Sameer and Sudhir

Neeru right eye cataract surgery happened on 10/13

We had Mala Ganapathy organize a Navaratri Celebration on 10/16

Our garden was taken down on 10/22, and outside water was shut off on 10/27

Karwachoth function was organized by Poornima MIsra and Sudhir and Sarmili participated in it
Sudhir and Sarmili came home and did a lot of work here

Neeru's left eye cataract operation happened on 11/4

Our very good friends, Deepak and Poonam jain, who were our neighbors in NJ, but who had moved to Raleigh, North Carolina a few years earlier, had their Daughter Neha's marriage with Vinay on November 20-21 and invited us for the wedding. But we regretfully declined the invitation due to Neeru's cataract operation

We attended Diwali parities on 11/7 at Shiv Gupta, Prem Gupta on 11/21 We had a Diwali party at our home on 11/7

On 11/16 , we got the news that Neeru's bare chachaji Badri Prasad tekriwal was experiencing a pain in the chest. In the hospital it was determined that 3 of the 4 arteries were 100% blocked. He went through a one stent operation and the next day, 2 more Stents were scheduled. We got reassured because the whole Tekriwal family including Mahesh Baboo were there at that time, due to Badri Chacha's Nati (Archana's son) was supposed to get married

On 11/26, Thanksgiving Day Saurabh and Sameer came home

On 11/29 Nisha's engagement with Anuj was celebrated at Neelam's place and we were there

12/5 our friend Kicha Ganapathy's son Sunder wed Suzie in Texas

12/20-12/22 our SOTH group (Naresh Bhagat, Omvir Singh, Braj Agrawal, Ranjit Verma, Dinesh Mittal and I had a party in Marriott Fairville Villa and had a blast. The meeting was courtesy of Braj Agrawal
2015

As per the customary habit, this year the responsibility for finding the house for Christmas outing fell on Sameer

He found our rental home for Xmas 2015!

1) This was a 6-bedroom, 5-bath, 4000 square foot home located in Athens, NY, just northeast of the Catskills. Approx driving distances: Fairfield CT – 2:15, Rye Brook NY – 2:00, Albany NY – 0:45, Ridgewood NJ – 1:45, Martinsville NJ – 2:20, Vienna VA – 6:00

2) We had booked for 6 nights checking in Thu, Dec 24th and departing Wed, Dec. 30th .

Room	Evening of the:					
	24th	25th	26th	27th	28th	29th
Bedroom 1 – King	Sheo, Neeru					
Bedroom 2 – King	Prem, Raghunath					
Bedroom 3 – Queen	Deepa, Sanjay, Jaiden*					
Bedroom 4 – Queen	Vidya, Amit, Sonya*					
Bedroom 5 – Twin (x2)	Neelam, Deven*					
Bedroom 6 – Queen	Bina, Nawal			Alka, Amit R.		
Common Areas	Sarmili, Sudhir			Anju, Justin		
	Sameer, Saurabh, Niket, Nimish, Simran*, Saira*					

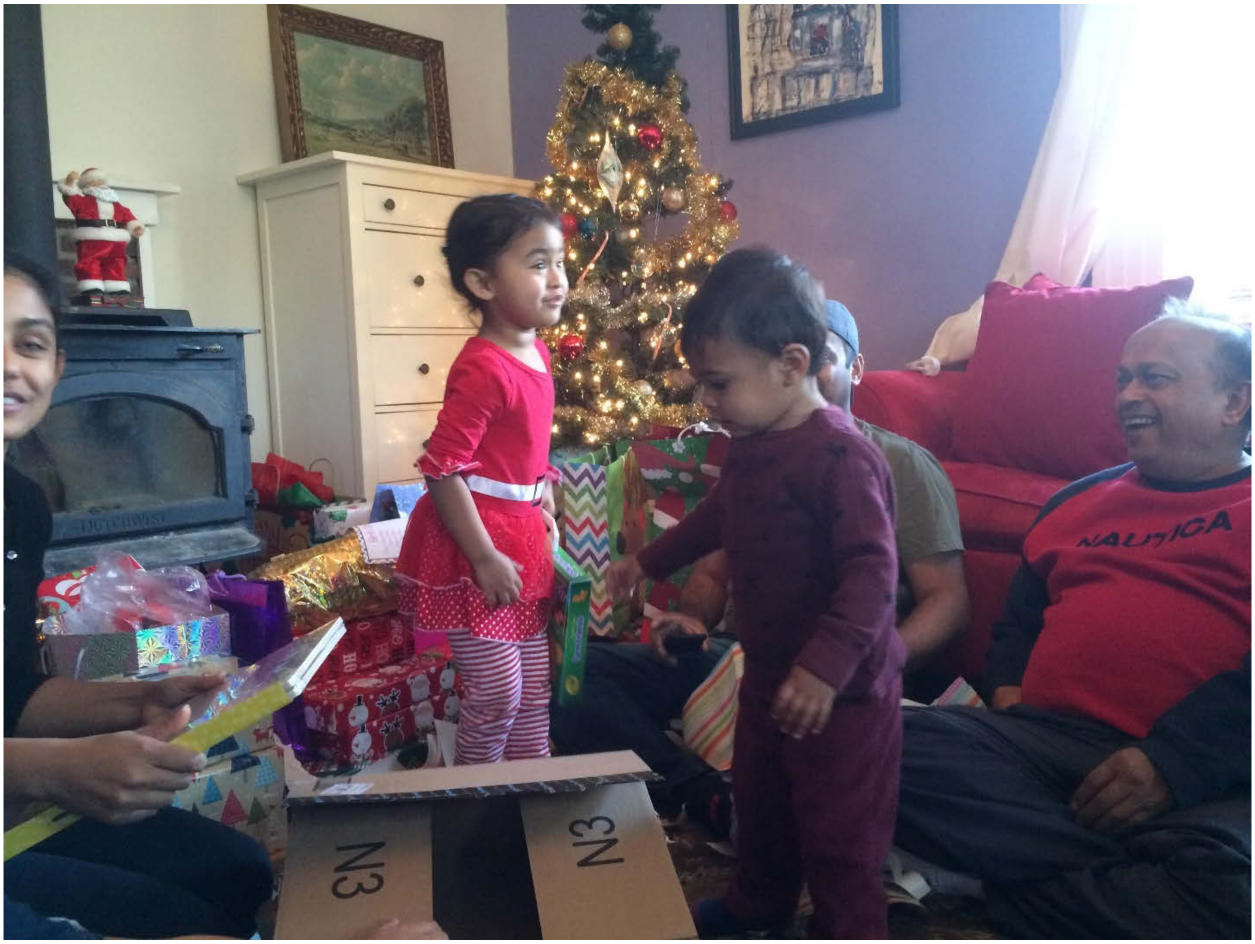
3) Both Hunter and Wyndham mountains are about 40 minutes away

4) House had coded entry (no keys to deal with), plenty of parking space, main kitchen with granite countertops and new appliances, extra side kitchen, all-tile bathrooms, pool table, sauna, hot tub, multiple TVs including big screen, front-loading washer/dryer, wood burning fireplace.

This year the basic thing was that two youngsters , Sonya and Jaiden were the main guests and the whole activities were surrounded around them

Saira, Simaran,Sarmili,Deepa,Nisha up front
Neelam, Sameer, Anju and Saurabh in the back
Justin and Deven todi in the back

Amit, Sonia writing and Raghunath Bhaiyya watching



The two STARS , Sonia and Jaiden with Vidya and I watching

The Christmas Tree

Deepa, Vidya watching playfully Sonia and Jaiden

Sanjay and Jaiden

Jaiden

Vidya showing something to Sonia

All the people sitting around the Christmas Table

2016

Sanjay, Deepa and Jaiden were at their Rye Brook, NY home. Sanjay was in the Finance department in PEPSICO. Saurabh was working for EATON living in Syracuse. Sameer in Philadelphia, living in his home on Montrose Street with 3 tenants, working for Ascend Strategies LLC; Sudhir living in Albany with his wife, Sarmili, a lawyer.

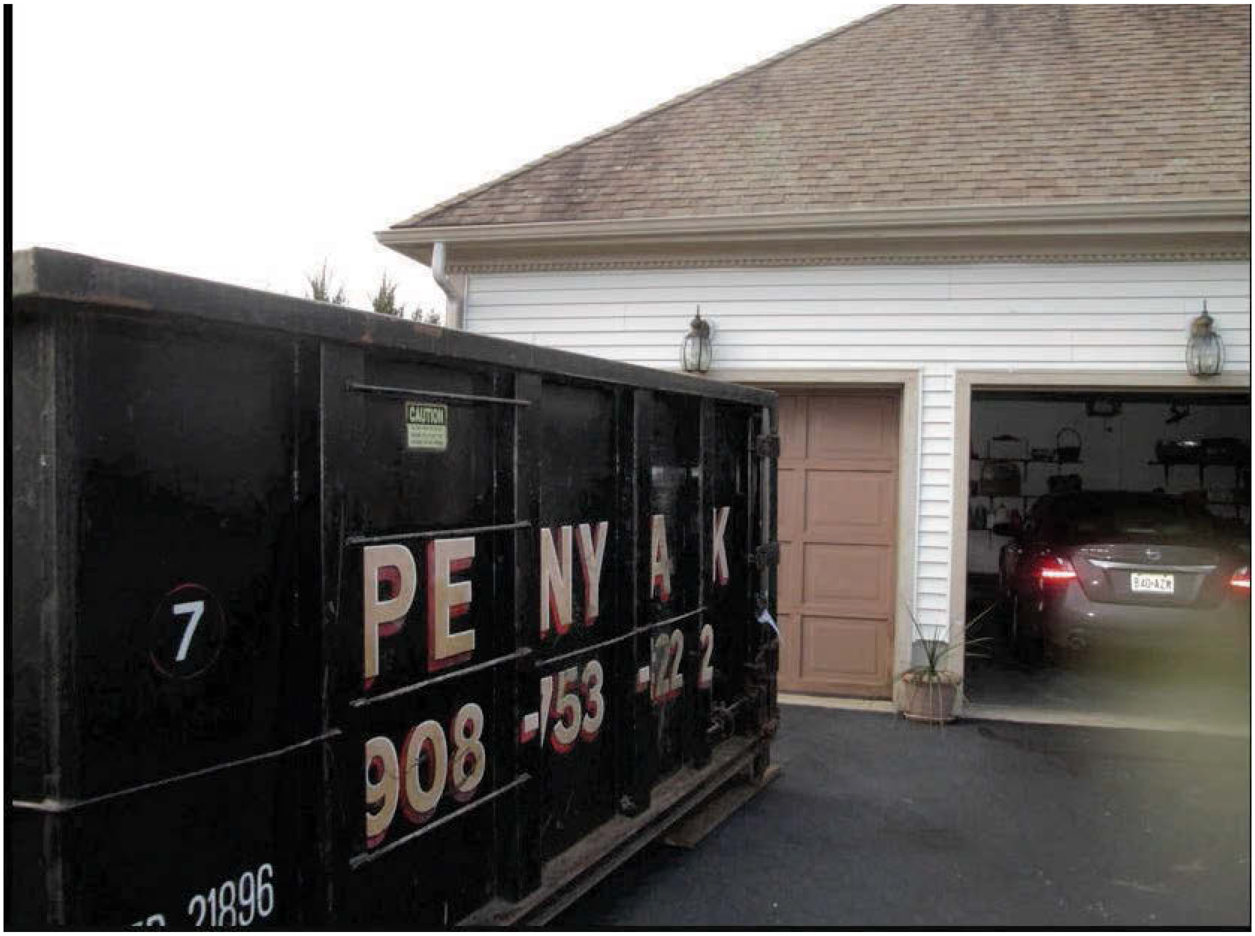
I and Neeru were in our Martinsville home in New Jersey. Raghunath Bhaiyya and Prem Bhabhi stayed in their Troy, Michigan home

Alka and Amit (Raghavan) were living in Brooklyn, Alka working for GAP. Amit and Vidya stayed in Connecticut; Amit was working for D E Shaw. Anju and Justine lived in San Francisco, Anju working for The Khan Academy and Justin worked at KAPLAN. Vidya working from home doing some graduate courses with Harvard (remotely)

ON 1/9 Sameer came home and took Mom to Origin Thai Restaurant for her birthday

We got a new printer and a new snow blower

On 1/14 our home's roof was changed to Earthtone Cedar. It took four roofers, 3 full days to finish off the roof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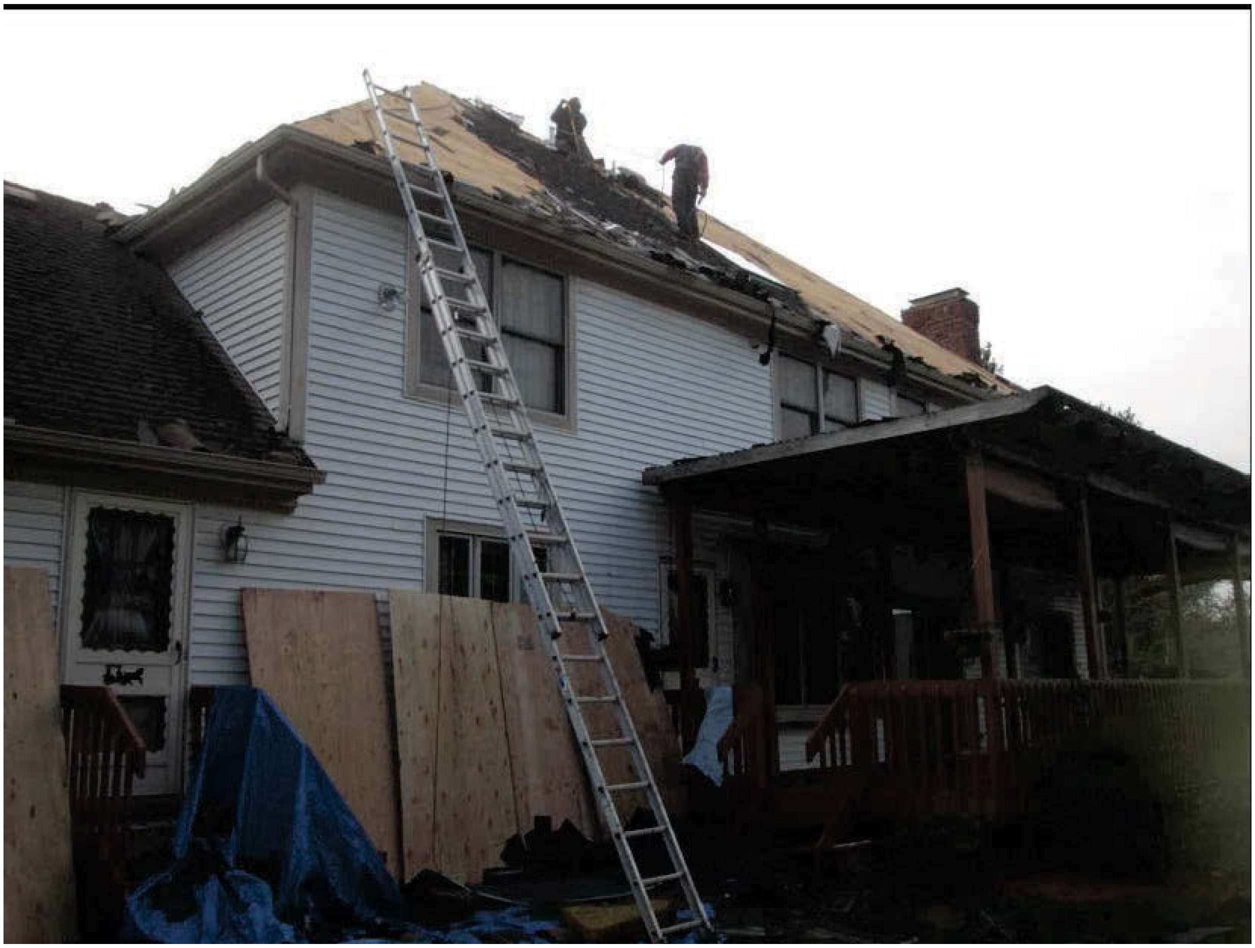
Roof trash hauler installed by Penyak roofing company

Some roofers on the roof



Roofers taking away the roof----from back of the house

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Some roofers finishing the roof

On 1/16 Ajai Jain's father died.

On 1/23, 2 feet of snow fell, our new snow blower came in handy

Snow on the Deck furniture as seen from the family room

Snow on the deck table

Snow by the side of garage

Snow clearing in front of the house

On 2/7 Sameer, Sudhir and Sarmili came home. 2/9 we went to Thai Restaurant to celebrate our anniversary

2/15 Sanjay, Deepa, Jaiden came home

2/21 Satish Bhalerao, my IITK friend had a nasty car accident and was in JFK institute. We visited him at JFK Institute

3/16 Aditya's marriage was fixed, Khurshid had a major bypass surgery

3/18 to 3/20 All kids came home, 3/20 we all went to Angie's Baby Shower party

Mahesh Tekriwal, I Sudhir, Anand, Sunil B, Sanjay with Jaiden, Sameer and Renzo

3/20 to 4/20 we had several OTH/SOTH parties; we went to several Doctors

On 4/30 the whole family went to Long Branch to see the Semi Marathon, Stayed at Marriott

On 5/6 we had an OTH party at Dhiraj Sharma's place, Vishwanath from Mysore also came there

On June 8, Mahesh Tekriwal with Angie's 1st baby , Leyla in the hospital in Northern New Jersey

Neeru in the hospital room, holding Angie's newborn baby Leyla in her hand

In June/July 2016 Bhaiyyajee and Bhabiji came to New York city for an Alaska Cruise organized by PAROPKAR

Bhaiyyajee and Bhabhiji in Alaska, cruising with Paropkar group

Bhaiyyajee and Bhabhiji with us in NY during their trip on Paropkar Group’s Alaska Trip

Monika Jindiya's wedding in Philadelphia on July 2, 2016

6/24/16 Sharda with Aashish's newborn baby, Sharanya Chaudhary

8/12-8/21 We went for a cruise to Boston from Montreal with the whole family. We went to Quebec, Prince Edward Islands, Charlottsville, Hallifax, Boston. Little did we know of the almost catastrophic results

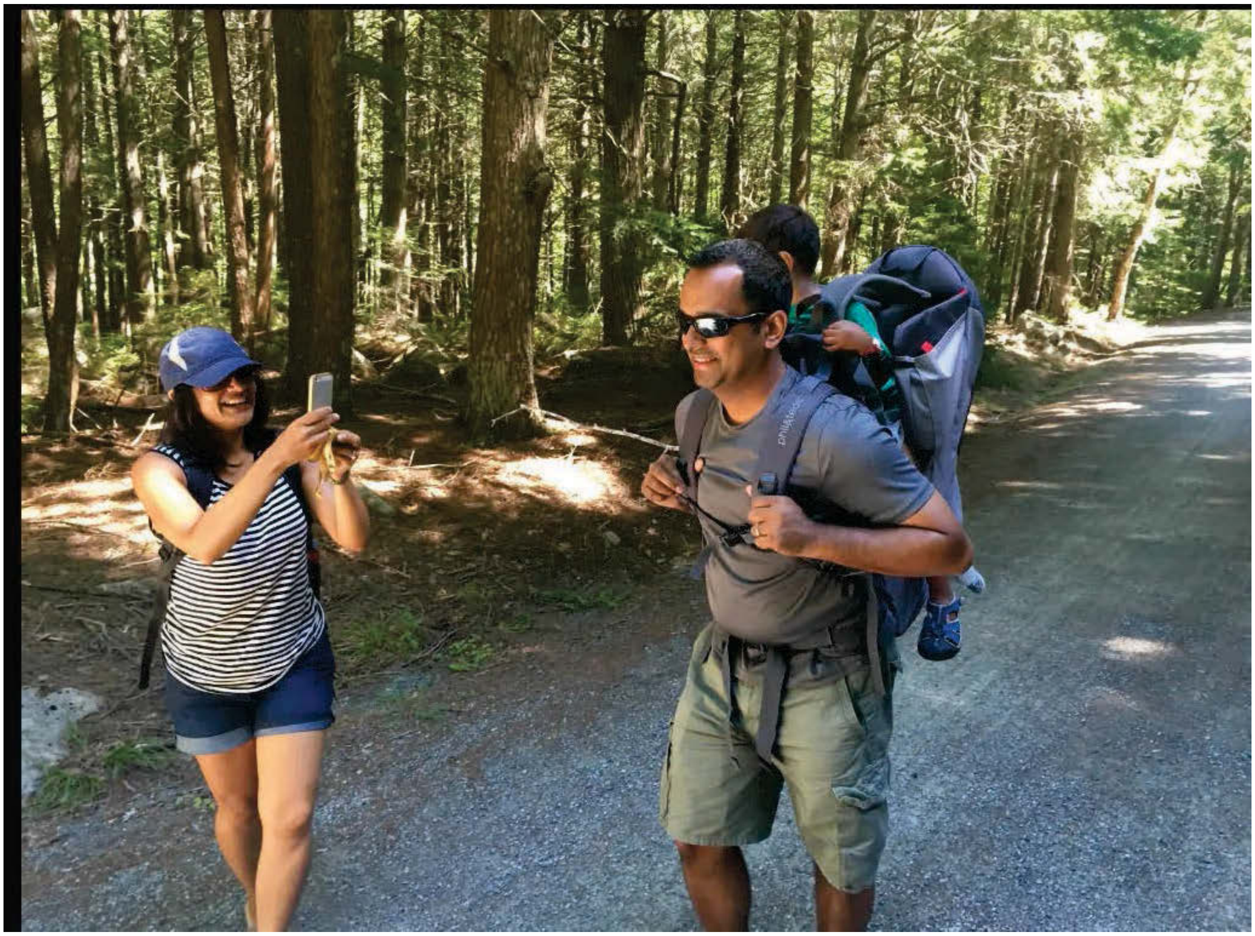
Deepa, Jaiden and Sanjay, at the start of Cruise at Montreal

Sarmili and Deepa

Sarmili, Deepa and Saurabh

Neeru, Jaiden and I at a cruise substation. Jaiden crying

We all, enjoying outdoors at a cruise stop



Sarmili taking the photo of Sanjay with Jaiden

Deepa and Jaiden with Prime Minister Trudeau

Saurabh with Jaiden

CHARLOTTETOWN
Prince Edward Island
Canada

At the end all of us in front of Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island in Canada

In the last leg of the cruise, it was caught in a severe storm. The boat kept rocking from one end to another. It felt like it came close to drowning. We were all in our rooms. Finally, it stopped rocking after 5-6 hours

Finally, the Cruise ship stopped shaking and we all got down in Boston

8/31 we celebrated Raghunath Bhaiyya's 70th birthday in Pooja

On 9/4 Gopal's new house invitation we got

Dear All,

With blessings of God and all the elders, we have been able to fulfill
our dream of moving into our new flat

On this occasion, we would like to share our joy with family and all the
near and dear one's
and would like to invite you for the

Gruh Pravesh

Sunday, 4th September 2016 at 10:30 am onwards
followed by lunch

Venue : 503/504 Shivlok bldg, Ramgali, Kandivali West,
Mumbai-400067

Phone : 9820631306, 9930613324

Your blessings are our precious gifts

With regards and love
Gopal and Manjari Khetan

9/2 to 9/5 Nisha's wedding with Anuj Purankar took place in Ocean Place Resort in Long Branch NJ.

Bhaisaheb and Bhabiji ready for Haldhath for Nisha

Naveen applying to Nisha, in Haldhath ceremony, Neeru in the back

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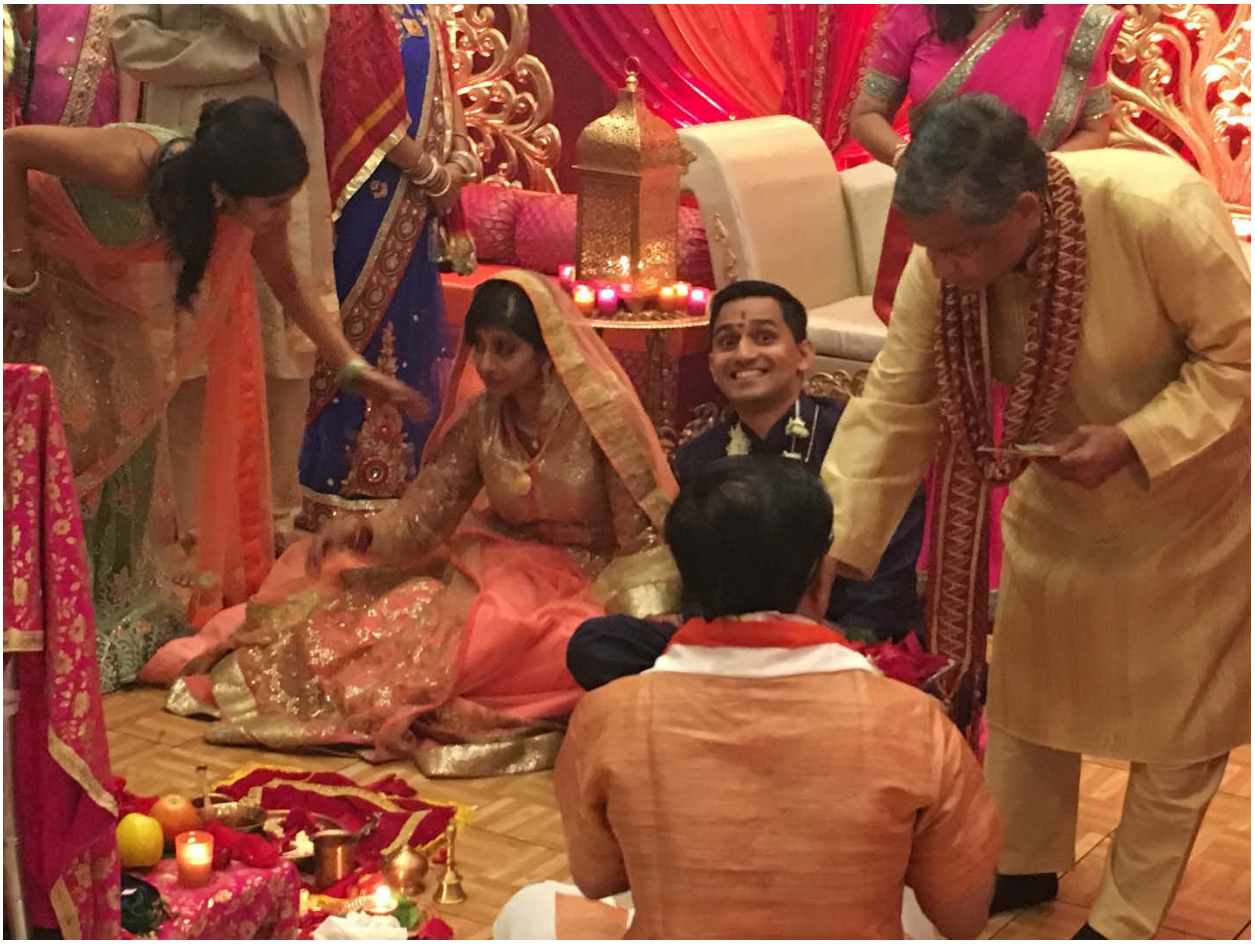
Anuj coming on the Barat Horse



Nisha and Anuj are sitting in a wedding position

Nisha and Anuj after the wedding, entering the reception

The whole wedding party, The Todi Family and The Purankar family

Todiji with all the youngsters

A funny shoe event described by Saurabh in an e -mail

“There were some questions as to what exactly happened with the shoes during the wedding, so below i present a summary of the Arizona crew's shoe antics. This was mostly drafted the day after I got back to Syracuse but added some finishing touches today.

Myself, Justin, Niket and Nimesh were being vigilant for the shoes as the Baraat crept closer to its destination. However, we soon realized that while Anuj definitely was wearing shoes earlier in the Baraat, he no longer was toward the end of it. What looked like shoes were actually thin socks. Cheating #1 - they unfairly took his shoes off before Anuj even stepped off of the horse, while the Baraat was still continuing!

Fast forward to now the Baraat has ended, Anuj and his side have been welcomed and blessed. Anuj had walked into the building without shoes, and there seemed to be little we could do to locate the ones he was originally wearing at the beginning of the Baraat. We were mad! Naveen gave us a mini pep talk at this time, encouraging us to employ any means necessary to locate and acquire the shoes. After some brainstorming and trash talk with the enemy, all we could really come up with was brazenly stealing the sunglasses Anuj was wearing during the Baraat and hold it as ransom to gain the shoes. However this plan was highly flawed, to include positively identifying them, likelihood of a true swap, and most of all the feasibility of pulling off the heist short of committing assault.

We were running out of options when Naveen delivered some crucial information to us. A still-unknown source told him that the actual shoes were in a brown paper bag being held by a girl on their side wearing a green sari. This was the break that we needed. At this time, the whole Phoenix group was milling about in the hallway and after some not-so-subtle reconnaissance by our team, we spotted a brown paper bag. It was sitting idly on a table, with the girl in the green sari sitting in a chair with her back to it. We also noticed that none of the others in their group were actually watching the bag. We knew this was our chance. Justin came up with the plan for one of us to exit the building, re-enter on the other side their group, slowly creep up, and grab the bag and run. And that's exactly what I did.

I sprinted toward the lobby, with a female voice yelling something inaudible at me. The bag contained a pair of white mens Mojari, as well assorted female makeup products. I passed the shoes off to Justin, who by this time had met me in the lobby, and walked back with the bag minus the shoes.

Upon my return to where they were, the Phoenix crowd was not happy by the heist, claiming that the stolen shoes were not Anuj's but a member of their group's. I totally did not buy it at first, but eventually, a mixture of very good acting on their part (especially by the guy who claimed that the stolen shoes were his) and the occasional gullibility on my part had me mostly convinced that the shoes I stole were in fact not Anuj's. In that case, I figured if nothing else we had some leverage. After some wrangling, we finally came to a deal - to trade the stolen shoes (which we thought were not Anuj's) for Anuj's "actual" shoes. The swap would take place just before Anuj climbed the mandip.

Fast forward to that moment. I have the stolen white shoes in my hand, ready for a peaceful swap, Anuj is about to take off his "actual" shoes (brown-colored), when all hell breaks loose. Just after Anuj takes off the brown shoes, several of the guys in the Phoenix crowd dive for it, which lead to several of our team members to follow suit. Great effort by Niket and Niti, the latter of whom was on the ground with several guys on their side on top of her. Cheating #2 - they reneged on their deal for a fair and peaceful swap! During the scrum, Mohit (with SLR camera in hand) recovers one of the brown shoes and quickly hands it to me. The other is recovered by the Phoenix crowd. At this point, I now have the full pair of white shoes, and a brown shoe in my hands. With all 3 shoes, I sprint back out to the lobby, with our team in tow.

Now we are confused. Is the white pair, or brown pair, or some other pair Anuj's actual shoes? At the very least we knew the 3 shoes in our possession needed to be hidden until we could figure out what's going on. In an effort to have maximum security, Justin and I enlisted the assistance of the hotel staff to help us hide the shoes. After explaining our predicament, Chelsea from the bar graciously hid the shoes in a drawer at the Concierge desk, and then we plotted our next mov
>> Mounting evidence slowly convinced us that the white shoes were his all along, and that our heist was therefore that much more awesome! Evidence included photographs taken from the beginning of the Baraat, the fact that the white shoes were far less worn than the brown one, and the fact that Nisha

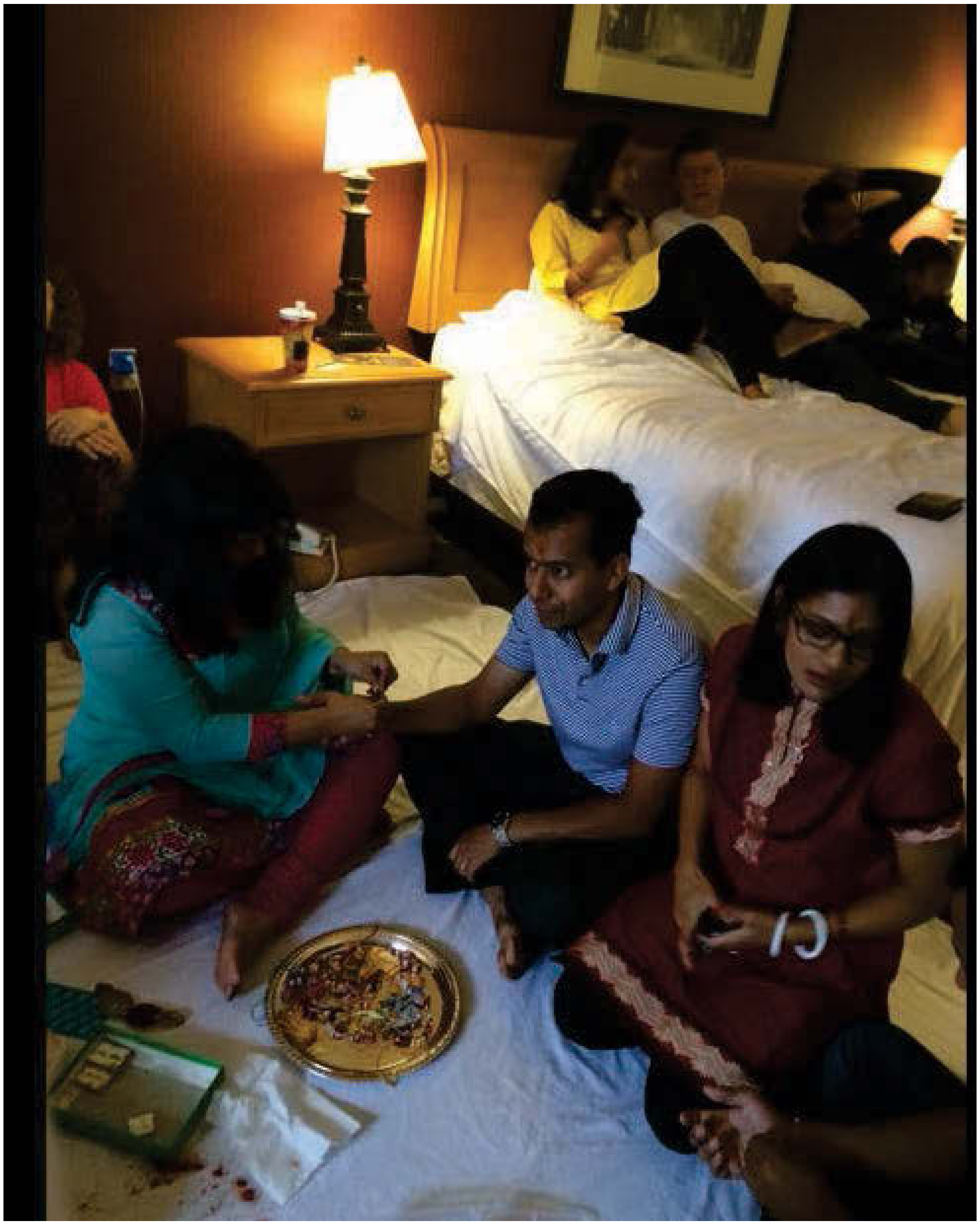
herself even confirmed to us that the white shoes were his!

The Phoenix crowd would have nothing of it. They continued denying that the white shoes were his, right up until the moment Anuj and Nisha are to walk off the mandip. Anuj played peacemaker and accepted the white shoes, to the very vocal disappointment of the Phoenix crowd. At that moment, even not knowing for certain whether or not the white shoes were his, we had won!

Later at the reception, our win truly felt sweet because the Phoenix crowd finally confirmed that the white shoes were Anuj's, and they'd tried everything they could do trick us into handing them back to them after our daring heist. So despite cheating and taking his shoes off while he was still on the horse, we still prevailed in the end!!!”

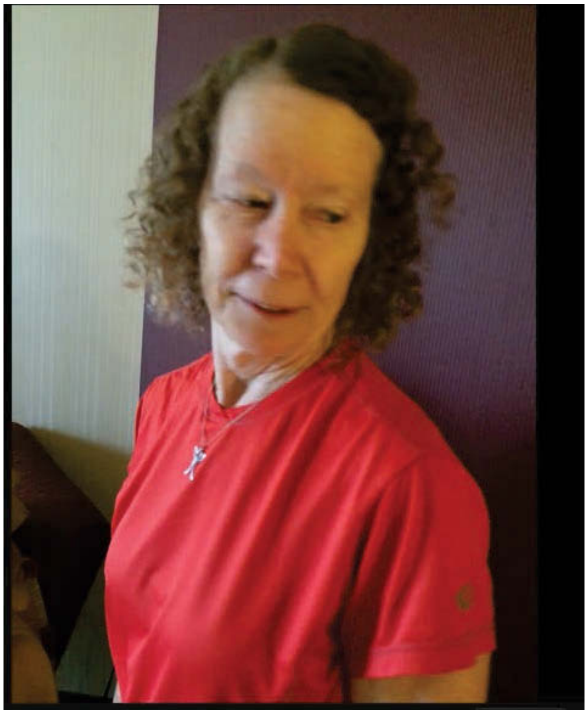
We had Raksha Bandhan in the hotel

Bhabhi ties Rakhi to Neeru

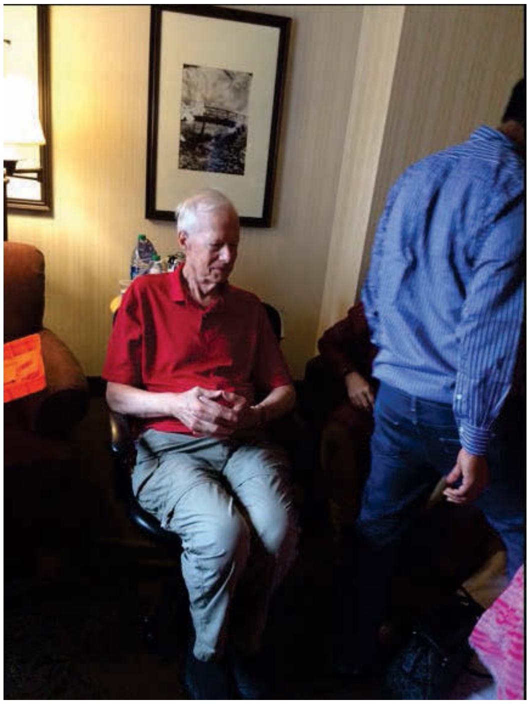


Alka ties Rakhi to Sudhir as Sarmili watches

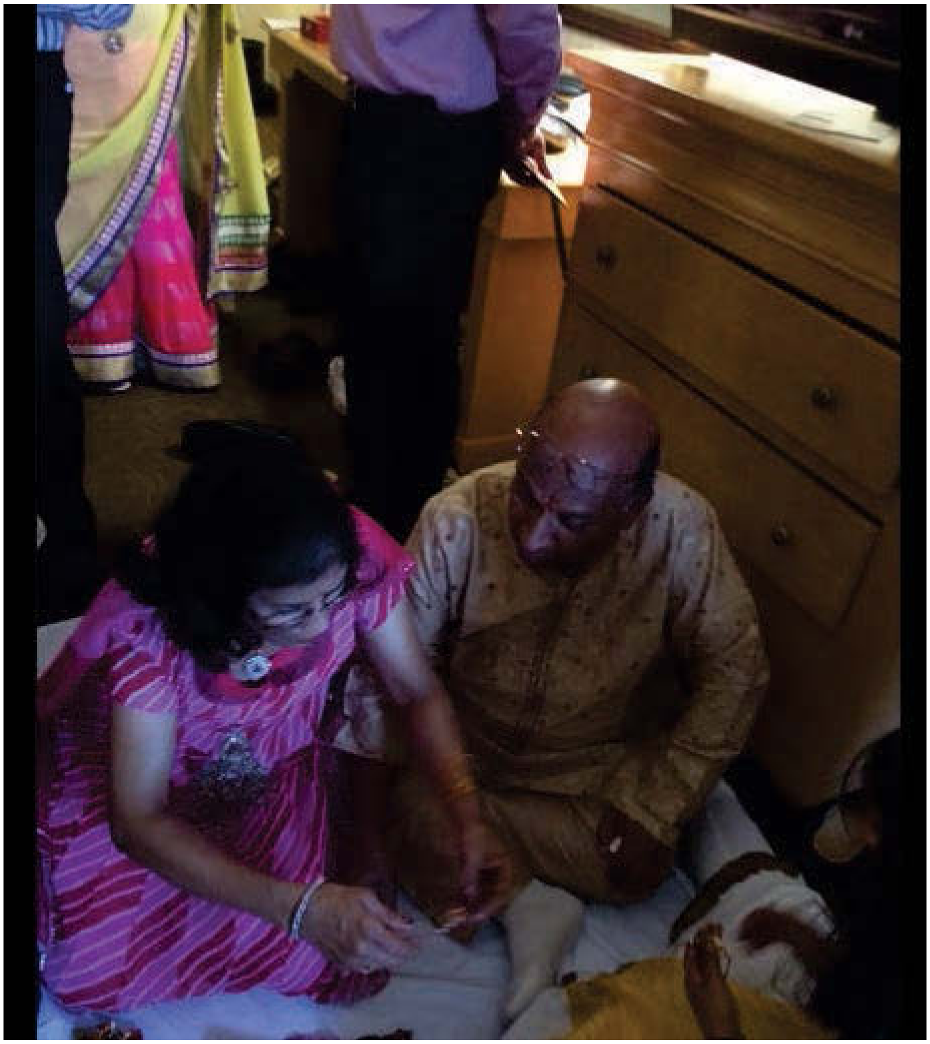
Neeru feeding sweet to Deepa, Sarmili watches



Mrs Terry Martin there

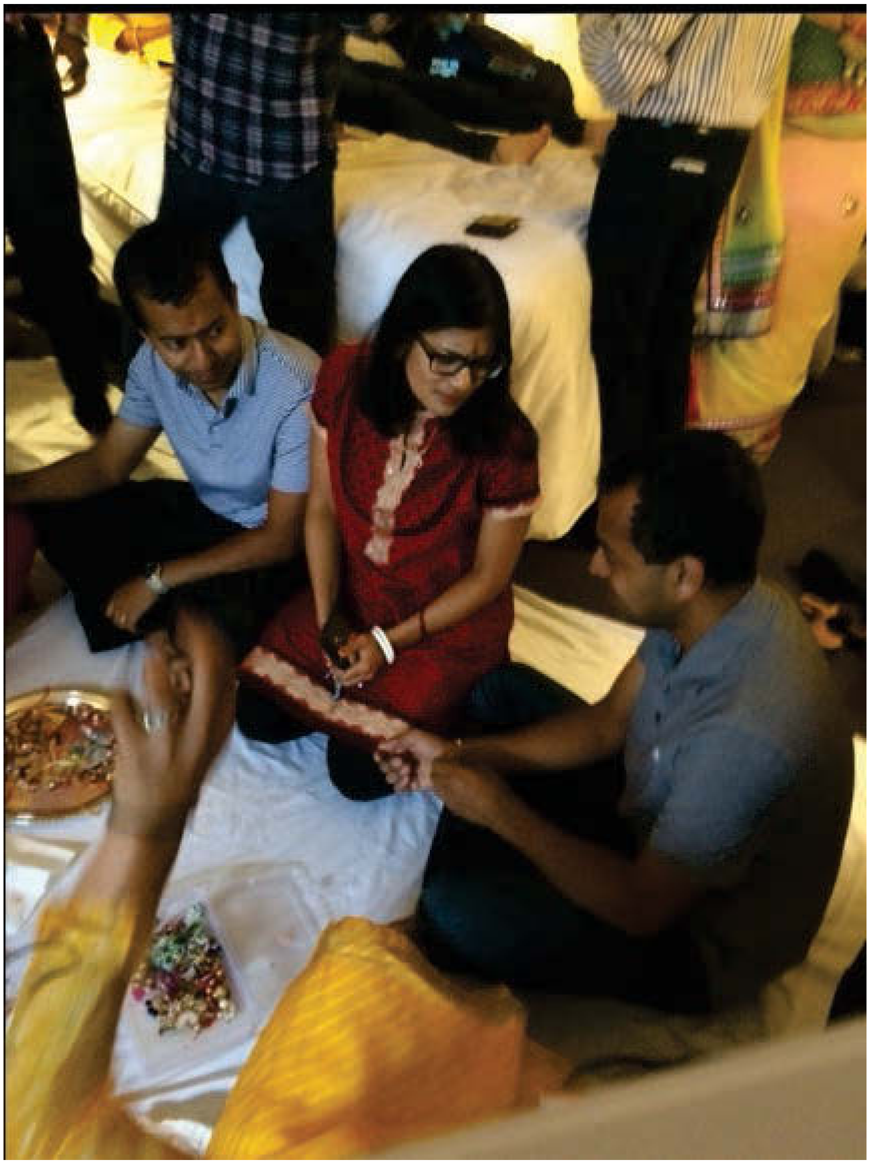


Mr Jack Martin there too



Prem Bhabhi and Raghunath bhaiyya

Deepa and Anju



Sudhir, Sarmili and Saurabh

On 9/14 we received an invitation for his son Aditya’s upcoming marriage on December 12

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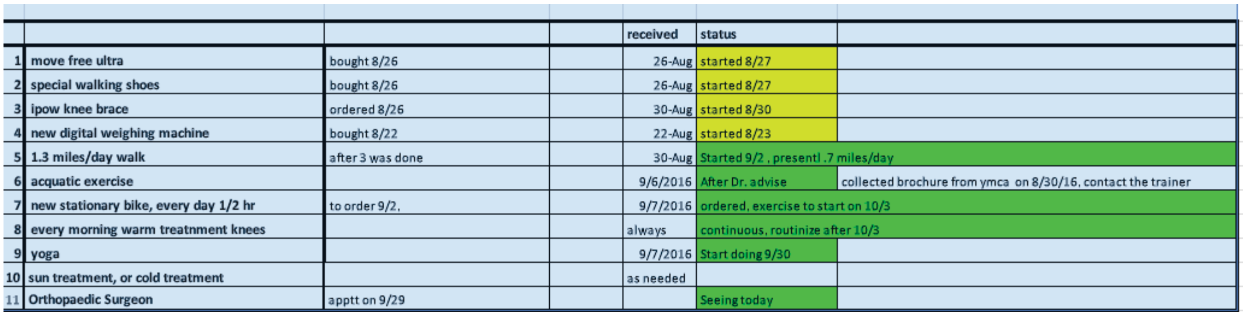
On 9/29 we saw Mom's orthopedic Surgeon Dr Bullek gave a courtesan shot and the following advice



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1	move free ultra	bought 8/26		26-Aug	started 8/27	
2	special walking shoes	bought 8/26		26-Aug	started 8/27	
3	ipow knee brace	ordered 8/26		30-Aug	started 8/30	
4	new digital weighing machine	bought 8/22		22-Aug	started 8/23	
5	1.3 miles/day walk	after 3 was done		30-Aug	Started 9/2 , presentl .7 miles/day	
6	acquatic exercise			9/6/2016	After Dr. advise	collected brochure from ymca on 8/30/16, contact the trainer
7	new stationary bike, every day 1/2 hr	to order 9/2,		9/7/2016	ordered, exercise to start on 10/3	
8	every morning warm treatnment knees			always	continuous, routinize after 10/3	
9	yoga			9/7/2016	Start doing 9/30	
10	sun treatment, or cold treatment			as needed		
11	Orthopaedic Surgeon	apptt on 9/29			Seeing today	

We had an IITK convention in Toronto September 15-18, we combined it with Visiting Khan Saheb, Troy, Back to Toronto , Picked up by Saurabh and finally took a flight from Syracuse to Newark

On September 15 to September 18 we had a batch get-together in Toronto. We took a plane to Habib Khan's place; He would take the responsibility of dropping and picking us up from the hotel where our group was gathered. The group's agenda is shown here

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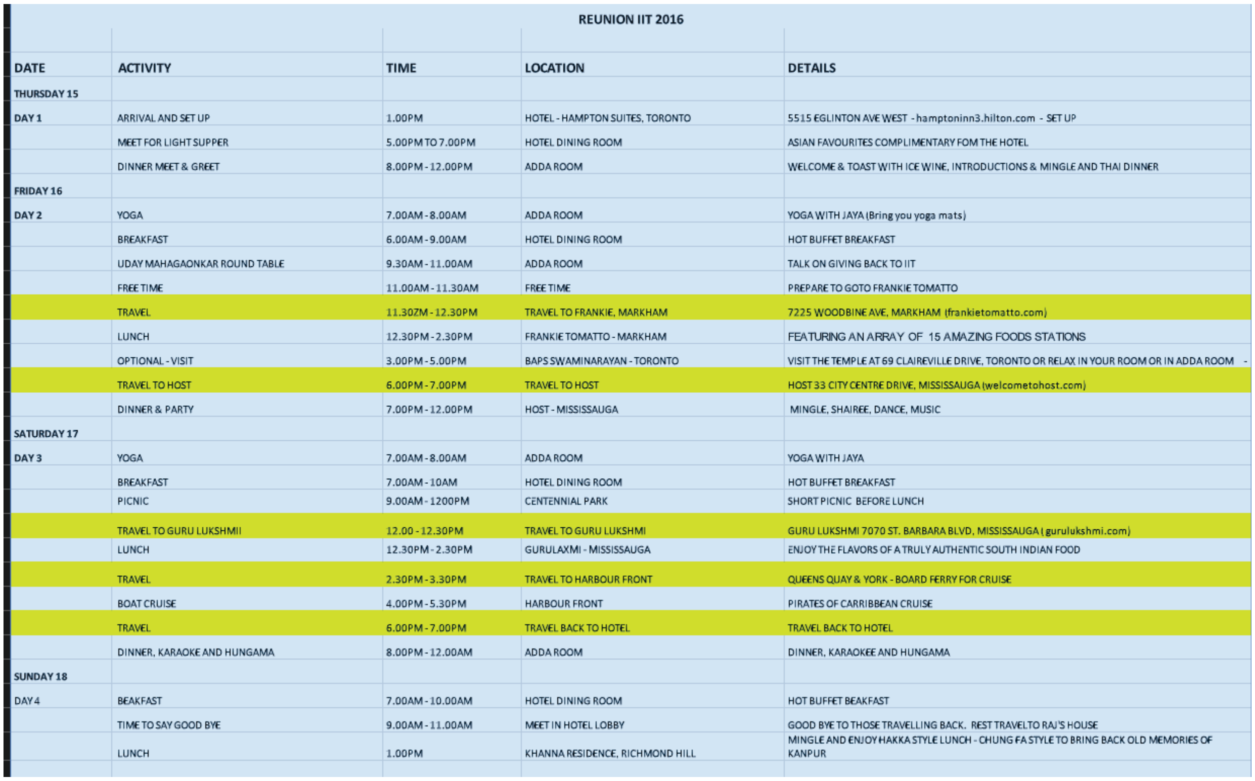


REUNION IIT 2016

DATE	ACTIVITY	TIME	LOCATION	DETAILS
THURSDAY 15				
DAY 1	ARRIVAL AND SET UP	1.00PM	HOTEL - HAMPTON SUITES, TORONTO	5515 EGLINTON AVE WEST - hamptoninn3.hilton.com - SET UP
	MEET FOR LIGHT SUPPER	5.00PM TO 7.00PM	HOTEL DINING ROOM	ASIAN FAVOURITES COMPLIMENTARY FOM THE HOTEL
	DINNER MEET & GREET	8.00PM - 12.00PM	ADDA ROOM	WELCOME & TOAST WITH ICE WINE, INTRODUCTIONS & MINGLE AND THAI DINNER
FRIDAY 16				
DAY 2	YOGA	7.00AM - 8.00AM	ADDA ROOM	YOGA WITH JAYA (Bring you yoga mats)
	BREAKFAST	6.00AM - 9.00AM	HOTEL DINING ROOM	HOT BUFFET BREAKFAST
	UDAY MAHAGAONKAR ROUND TABLE	9.30AM - 11.00AM	ADDA ROOM	TALK ON GIVING BACK TO IIT
	FREE TIME	11.00AM - 11.30AM	FREE TIME	PREPARE TO GOTO FRANKIE TOMATTO
	TRAVEL	11.30ZM - 12.30PM	TRAVEL TO FRANKIE, MARKHAM	7225 WOODBINE AVE, MARKHAM (frankietomatto.com)
	LUNCH	12.30PM - 2.30PM	FRANKIE TOMATTO - MARKHAM	FEATURING AN ARRAY OF 15 AMAZING FOODS STATIONS
	OPTIONAL - VISIT	3.00PM - 5.00PM	BAPS SWAMINARAYAN - TORONTO	VISIT THE TEMPLE AT 69 CLAIREVILLE DRIVE, TORONTO OR RELAX IN YOUR ROOM OR IN ADDA ROOM -
	TRAVEL TO HOST	6.00PM - 7.00PM	TRAVEL TO HOST	HOST 33 CITY CENTRE DRIVE, MISSISSAUGA (welcometohost.com)
	DINNER & PARTY	7.00PM - 12.00PM	HOST - MISSISSAUGA	MINGLE, SHAIREE, DANCE, MUSIC
SATURDAY 17				
DAY 3	YOGA	7.00AM - 8.00AM	ADDA ROOM	YOGA WITH JAYA
	BREAKFAST	7.00AM - 10AM	HOTEL DINING ROOM	HOT BUFFET BREAKFAST
	PICNIC	9.00AM - 1200PM	CENTENNIAL PARK	SHORT PICNIC BEFORE LUNCH
	TRAVEL TO GURU LUKSHMII	12.00 - 12.30PM	TRAVEL TO GURU LUKSHMI	GURU LUKSHMI 7070 ST. BARBARA BLVD, MISSISSAUGA (gurulukshmi.com)
	LUNCH	12.30PM - 2.30PM	GURULAXMI - MISSISSAUGA	ENJOY THE FLAVORS OF A TRULY AUTHENTIC SOUTH INDIAN FOOD
	TRAVEL	2.30PM - 3.30PM	TRAVEL TO HARBOUR FRONT	QUEENS QUAY & YORK - BOARD FERRY FOR CRUISE
	BOAT CRUISE	4.00PM - 5.30PM	HARBOUR FRONT	PIRATES OF CARRIBBEAN CRUISE
	TRAVEL	6.00PM - 7.00PM	TRAVEL BACK TO HOTEL	TRAVEL BACK TO HOTEL
	DINNER, KARAOKE AND HUNGAMA	8.00PM - 12.00AM	ADDA ROOM	DINNER, KARAOKEE AND HUNGAMA
SUNDAY 18				
DAY 4	BEAKFAST	7.00AM - 10.00AM	HOTEL DINING ROOM	HOT BUFFET BEAKFAST
	TIME TO SAY GOOD BYE	9.00AM - 11.00AM	MEET IN HOTEL LOBBY	GOOD BYE TO THOSE TRAVELLING BACK. REST TRAVELTO RAJ'S HOUSE
	LUNCH	1.00PM	KHANNA RESIDENCE, RICHMOND HILL	MINGLE AND ENJOY HAKKA STYLE LUNCH - CHUNG FA STYLE TO BRING BACK OLD MEMORIES OF KANPUR

The ladies in the Adda Room, Swagata Sen, Suneeta Mahagaokar, Jaya, Asha, Charu, and Neeru

Ajit Dongre delivering a speech; I and Robin Sen listen

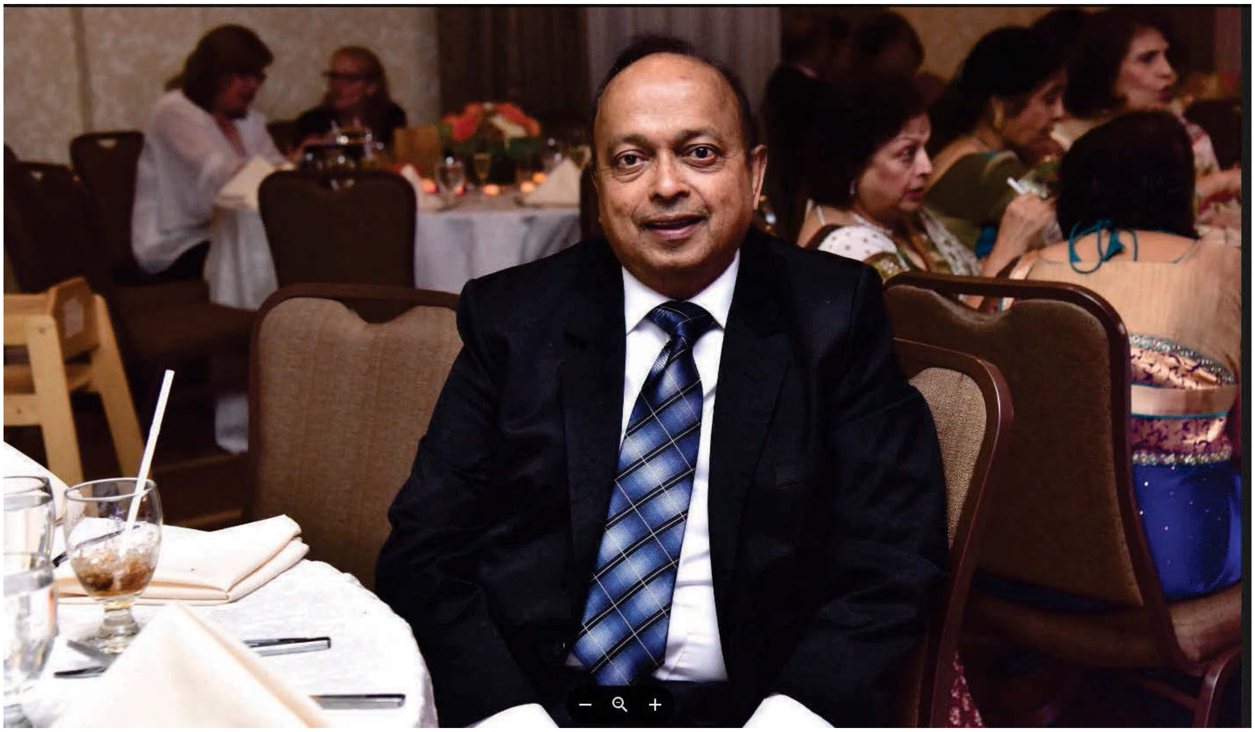
I speak at the convention

Pankaj, Ish Sud, Upendra, Mukesh, Prem, Vishwa Verma and Ajai

All the Ladies

CN Tower as seen from our boat

Raj Mehta's son, Viraj was married in India. His father had a party for him in Long Island on 10/1/16

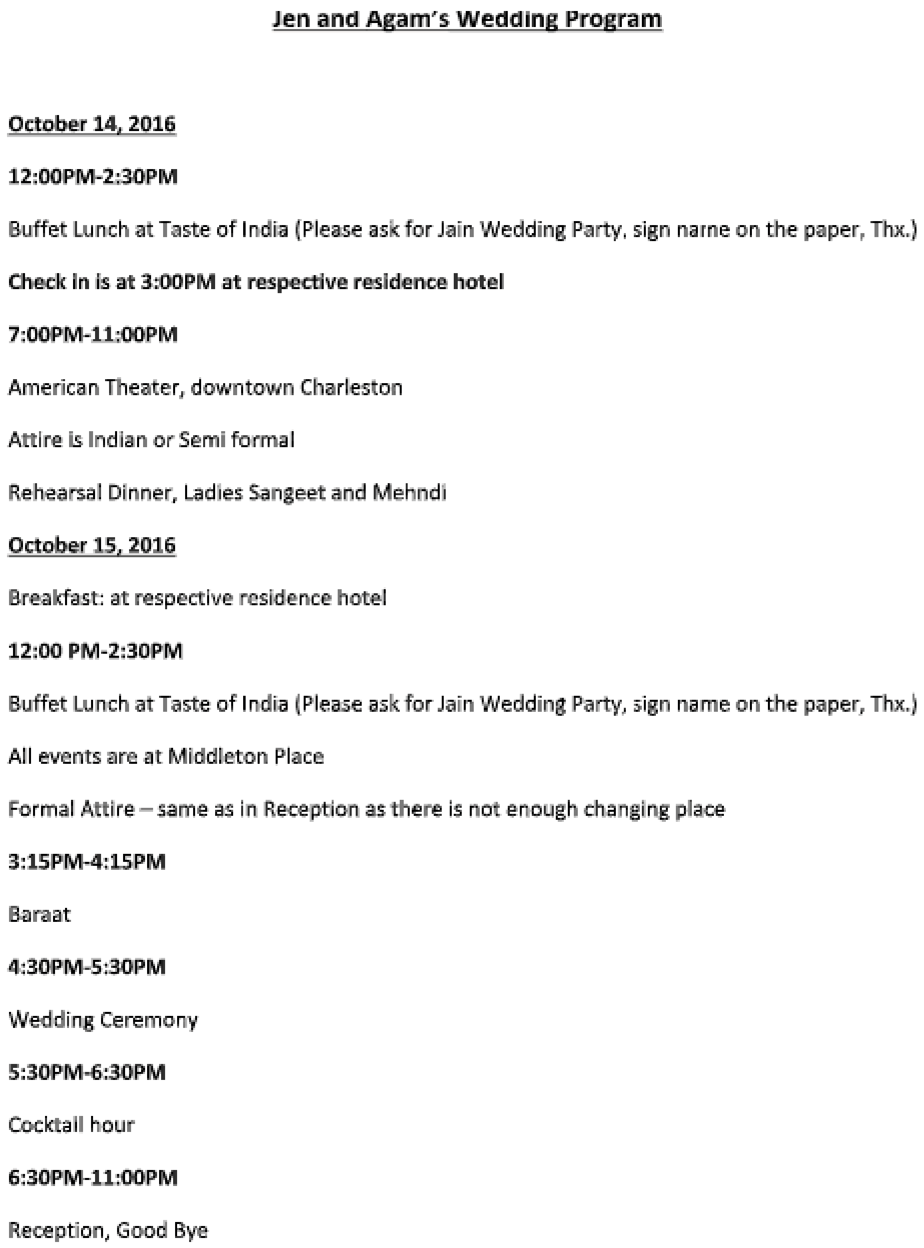


I at Raj Mehta's son Viraj and Swati's Reception in Hilton Garden Inn in Long Island

Ajai and Asha had their son's (Agam's and Jen's marriage) wedding fixed in Charleston, South Carolina

My plan was to go to Charleston from J F Kenneddy Airport. On 14th at 10.30 . I went to Veenu Bellani's place, in Long island who took me to a flight to be leaving for Charleston, SC.

Coming back, I had a similar plan, and she picked me up and made arrangements to stay with her friend's home and next day I drove my car to my home



Jen and Agam's Wedding Program

October 14, 2016

12:00PM-2:30PM

Buffet Lunch at Taste of India (Please ask for Jain Wedding Party, sign name on the paper, Thx.)

Check in is at 3:00PM at respective residence hotel

7:00PM-11:00PM

American Theater, downtown Charleston

Attire is Indian or Semi formal

Rehearsal Dinner, Ladies Sangeet and Mehndi

October 15, 2016

Breakfast: at respective residence hotel

12:00 PM-2:30PM

Buffet Lunch at Taste of India (Please ask for Jain Wedding Party, sign name on the paper, Thx.)

All events are at Middleton Place

Formal Attire – same as in Reception as there is not enough changing place

3:15PM-4:15PM

Baraat

4:30PM-5:30PM

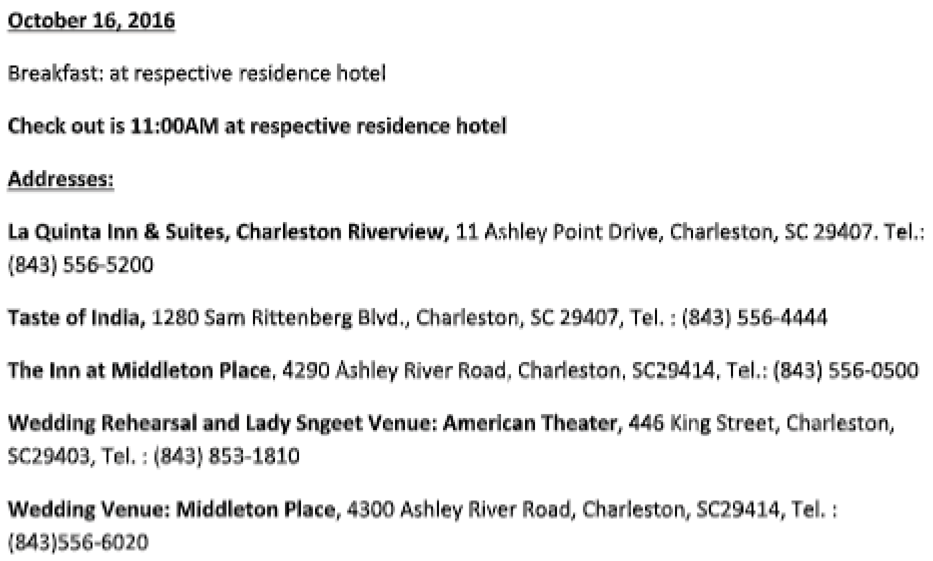
Wedding Ceremony

5:30PM-6:30PM

Cocktail hour

6:30PM-11:00PM

Reception, Good Bye



October 16, 2016

Breakfast: at respective residence hotel

Check out is 11:00AM at respective residence hotel

Addresses:

La Quinta Inn & Suites, Charleston Riverview, 11 Ashley Point Drive, Charleston, SC 29407. Tel.: (843) 556-5200

Taste of India, 1280 Sam Rittenberg Blvd., Charleston, SC 29407, Tel. : (843) 556-4444

The Inn at Middleton Place, 4290 Ashley River Road, Charleston, SC29414, Tel.: (843) 556-0500

Wedding Rehearsal and Lady Sngeet Venue: American Theater, 446 King Street, Charleston, SC29403, Tel. : (843) 853-1810

Wedding Venue: Middleton Place, 4300 Ashley River Road, Charleston, SC29414, Tel. : (843)556-6020

Poornima and Ram Misra had a Karwa Chauth party at their place on 10/16/16 at 7:00 pm

Jaya and Prem Gupta had a Diwali party on 10/29

Then we had a Diwali party at Martinsville

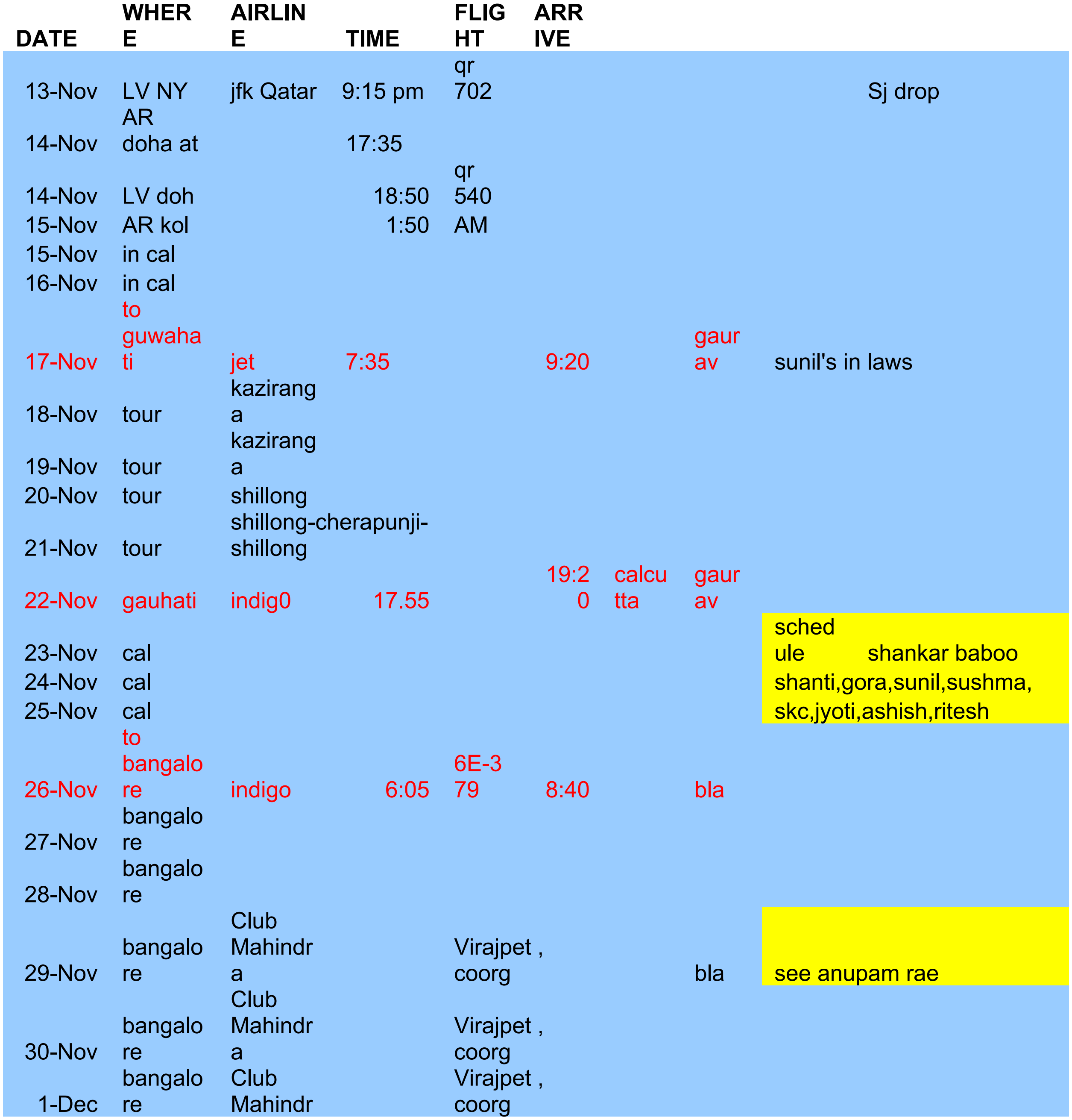
Braj had a 2 day celebration of SOTH'S get together in Mariott,s Fairway Village

Marriott's Fairway Villas
500 E. Fairway Lane Galloway,
NJ 08205

Arrival-------11/6/16(Sunday)----Check in 4pm but we can get there a few hours earlier and get the suites
Departure---11/8/16(Tuesday)--11 am... a little later will be allowed

On 8 November 2016, the Government of India announced the demonetisation of all ₹500 and ₹1,000 bank notes of the Mahatma Gandhi Series. It also announced the issuance of the ₹500 and ₹2,000 banknotes in exchange for the demonetised banknotes. Prime Minister Narendra Modi said that this decision would curtail the shadow economy and increase cashless transactions and reduce the use of illicit and counterfeit cash to fund illegal activity and terrorism.

Our program was to visit India in November 2016. Our tentative schedule was as below:



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19-Nov	tour	kaziranga						
20-Nov	tour	shillong						
21-Nov	tour	shillong-cherapunji-shillong						
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23-Nov	cal							schedule shankar baboo
24-Nov	cal							shanti,gora,sunil,sushma,
25-Nov	cal							skc,jyoti,ashish,ritesh
26-Nov	to bangalore	indigo	6:05	6E-379	8:40		bla	
27-Nov	bangalore							
28-Nov	bangalore							
29-Nov	bangalore	Club Mahindra		Virajpet , coorg			bla	see anupam rae
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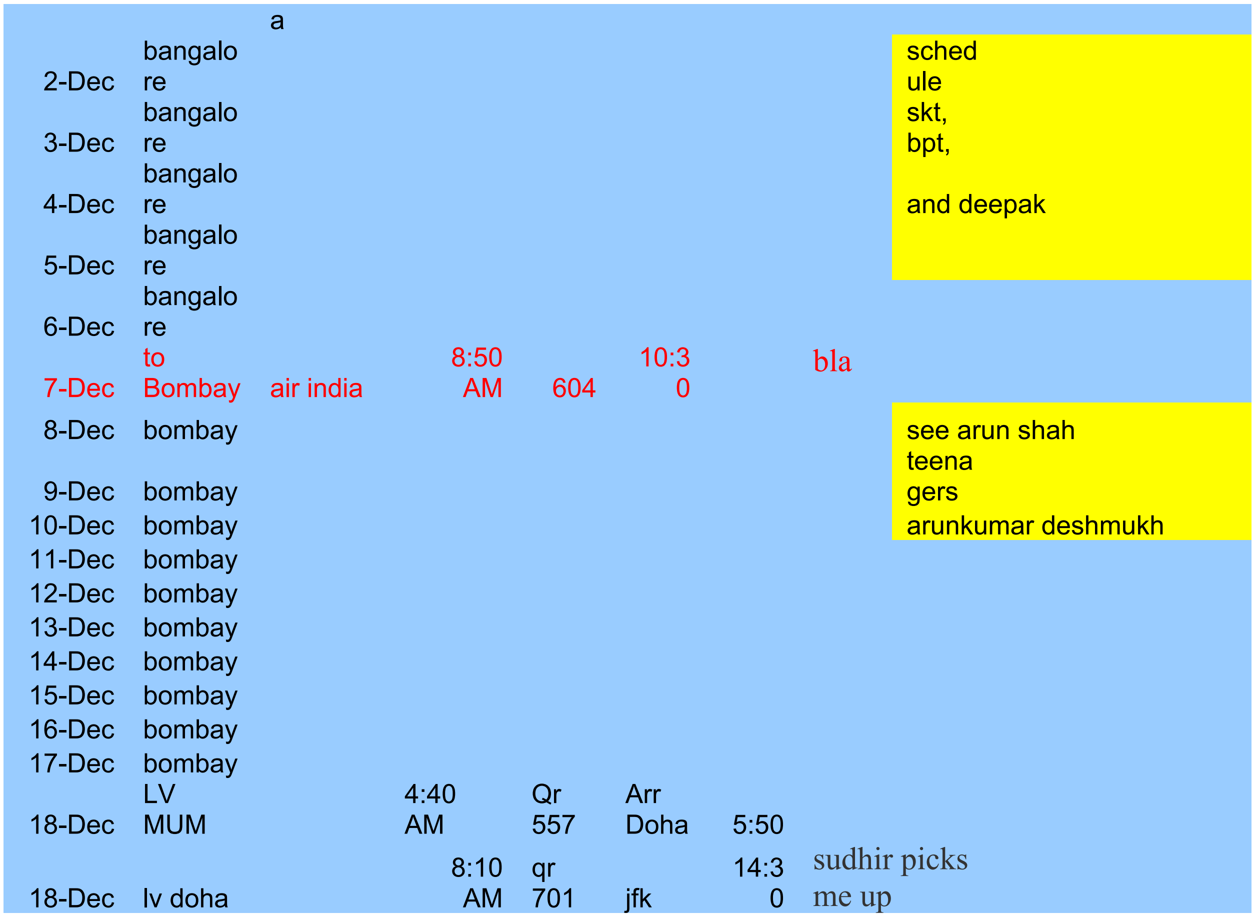

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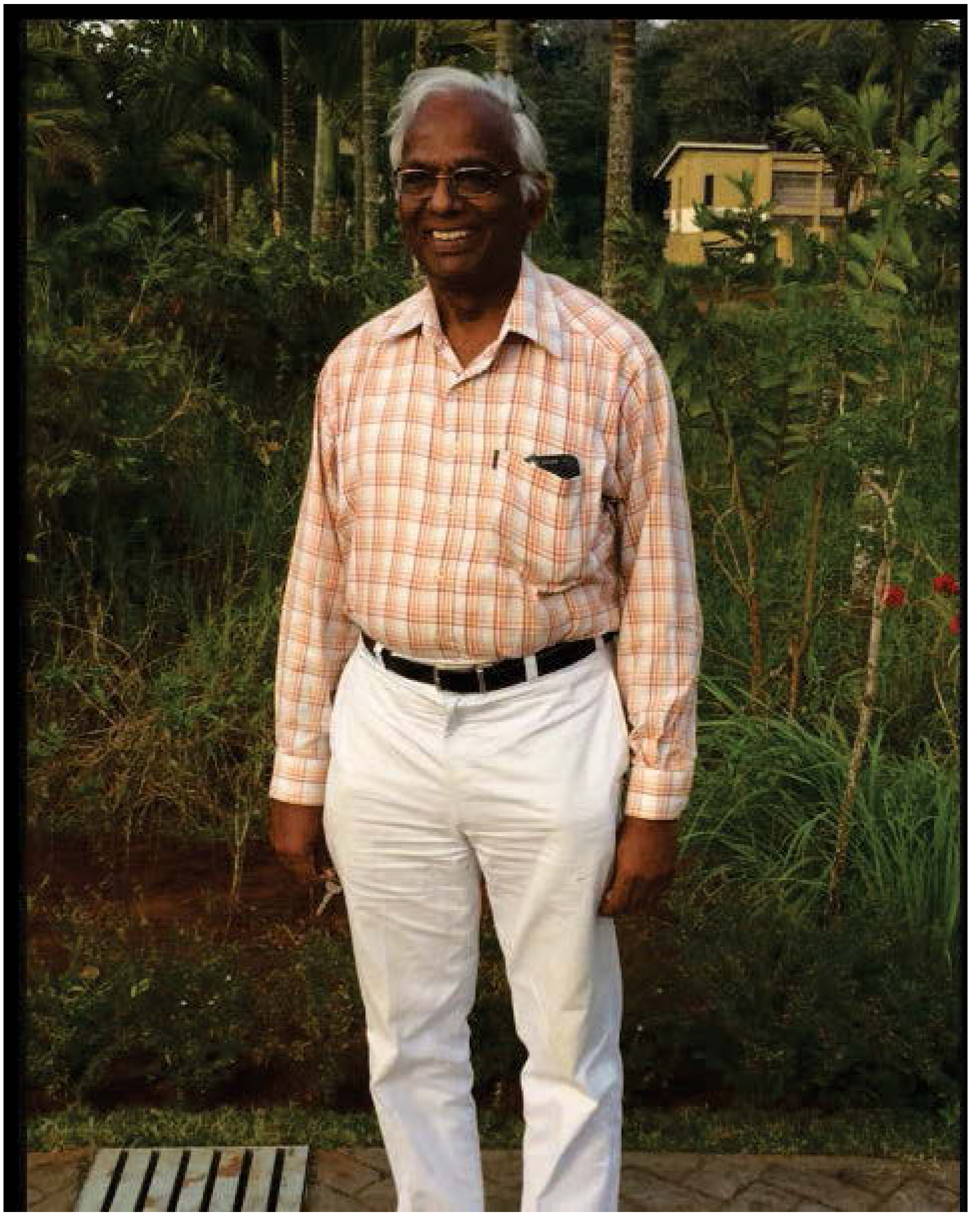
Due to Demonetization, the Kolkatta's situation was pretty disturbed, So our Assam program was also cancelled due to demonetization and also some illness of Sunil Takriwal's in-laws (who were to be our hosts in Kaziranga/Shillong/Cherapunji) .

We celebrated our stay with Tekriwals (Babooji, Sushil Ganeriwal, Sushil Tekriwal, Sajan Tekriwal and my sisters Sharda and Shanti)

12/4-12/7 we visited Club Mahendra at Virajpet with Bhaiyyaji and Bhabhiji. While there I contacted my IITK classmate Mr. Anupam Rae who visited us in the club



Anupam Rae, My IITK batchmate

Anupam with I and Neeru

Bhabhiji and Neeru in Club Mahindra

Neeru, Bhabhiji and I in Virajpet

12/7 we came to Mumbai

12/7-12/18 We attended Gopal’s first son Aditya’s marriage to Shreya Gupta.

All 4 brothers and 2 sisters, Sharda, Gopal, I, Raghunath Bhaiyya, Bhaiyyaji (Banwari) and Shanti

We had changed the Bhaiyyaji's empty apartment into a cooking and eating area……all guests including I, Bhabhiji, Prem Bhabhi, Bhaiyajee, Raghunath Bhaiyya, Neeru, Aashish and Sharda eating there

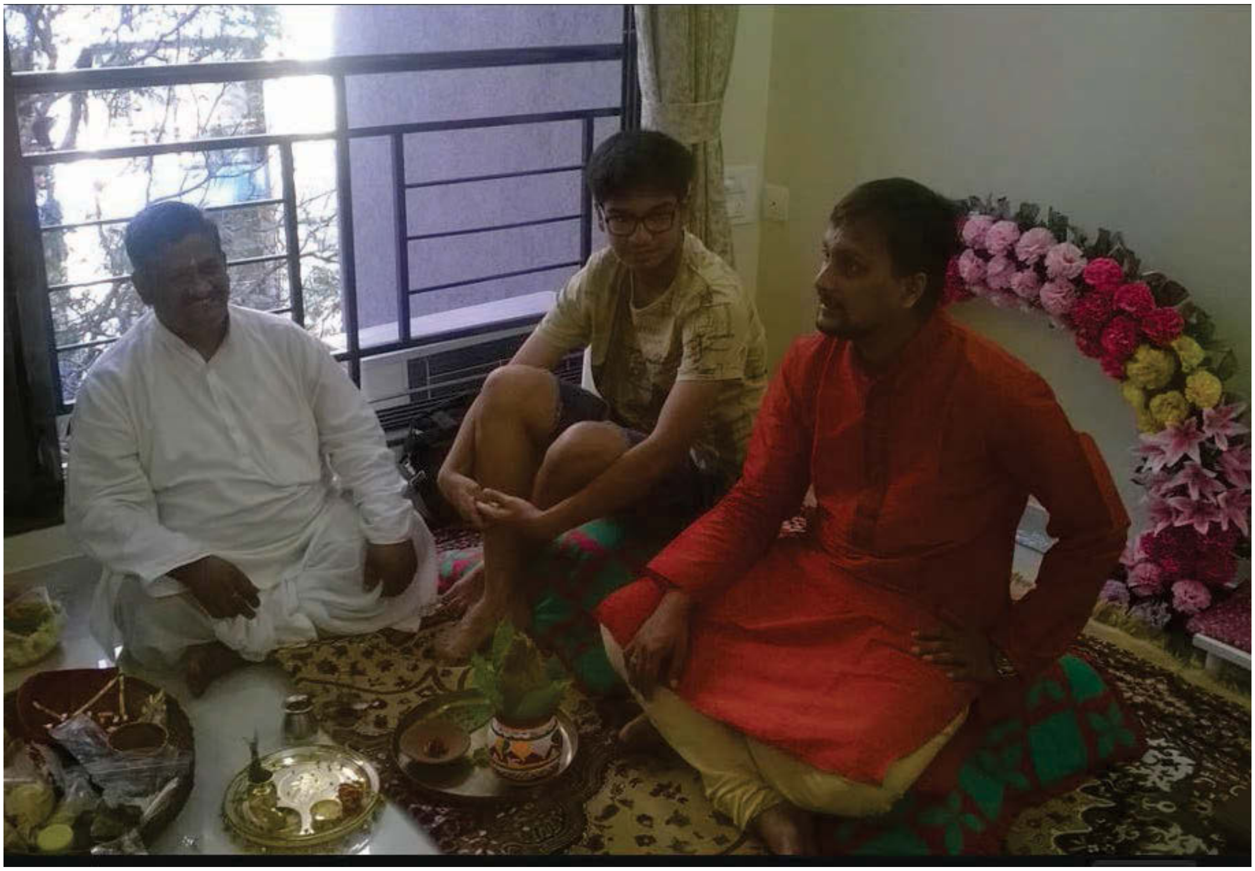
In the same apartment we play cards …..Raghunath Bhaiyya, I, Sharda, Bhaiyyajee and Nemani Saab

Pre-wedding function, Neeru, Sharda, I and Suresh Baboo

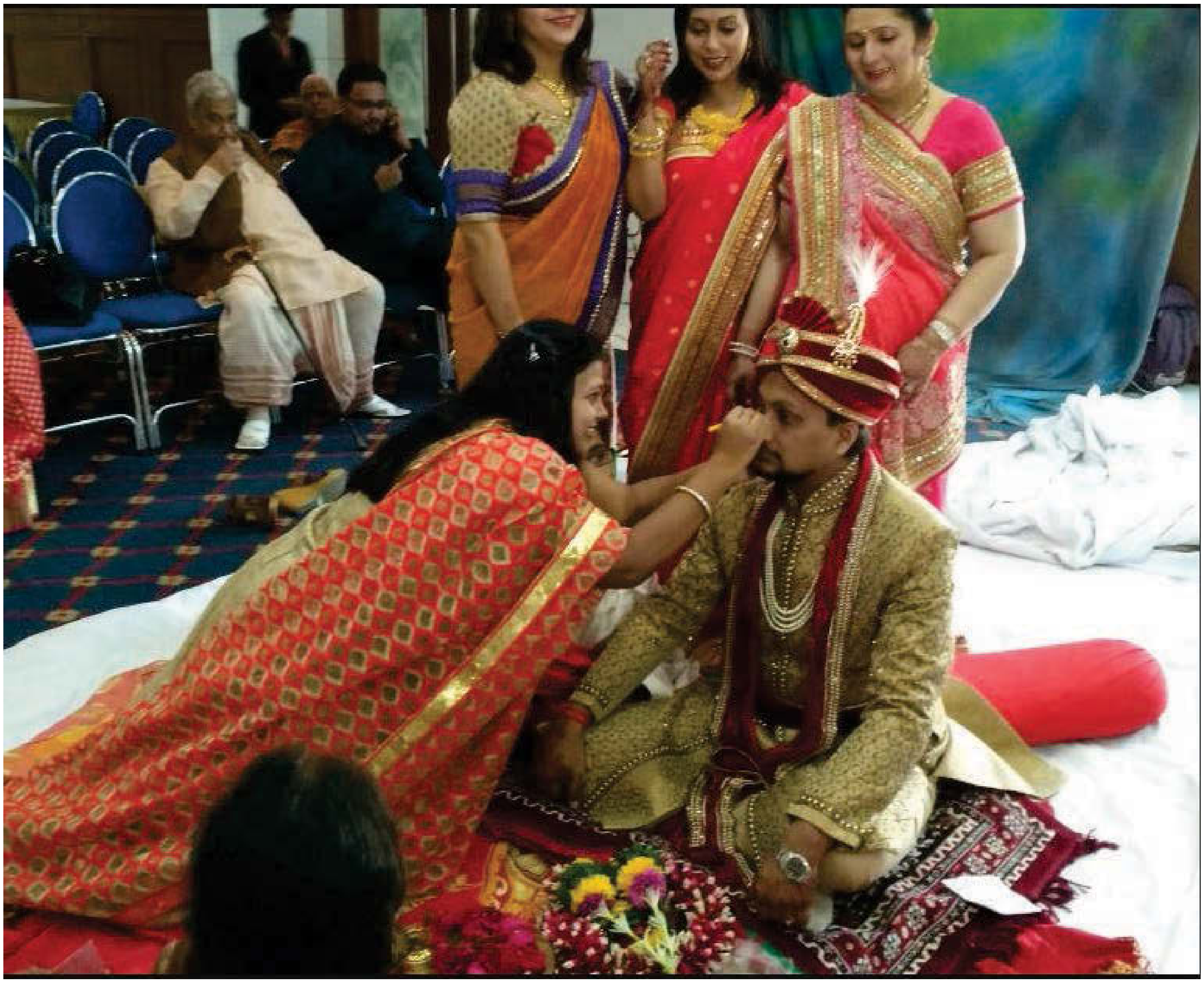
Neeru Carrying a pre wedding function in Aditya’s wedding

Bhabhiji with Bhajan singing

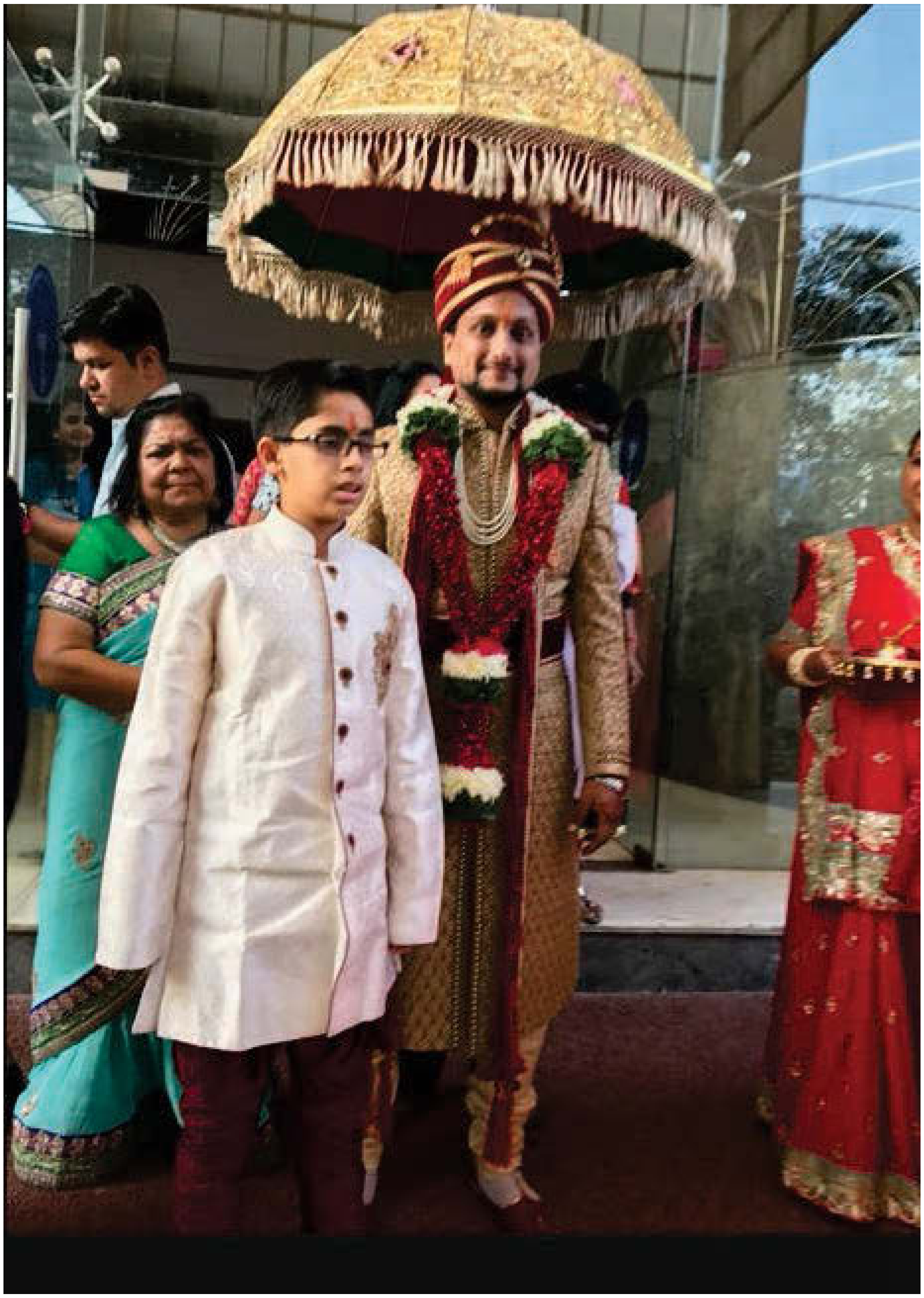
Sheetal, Divya and Neeru listening to a Musical program



Ganesh Pooja…Aditya



Aditya prior to Barat “Kajal Ghalai”



Aditya and Krishna (Vinayak) ready for the horse

Aditya on a horse……ready for the Baraat

In the wedding hall, Bhabhiji met Shreya’s mom

After marriage Aditya and Shreya in “Jua Khelai” with Shital and Anu

After Marriage Shreya with mother-in-law Manjari Khetan

After the wedding Aditya and Shreya entering the home

On 18th December we came from Mumbai to JFK airport and Sudhir picked us up and brought us home

Just like prior years the responsibility to land the Christmas vacation house fell on Saurabh.

On September 28 he informed the group about this chosen house

“After 2 years in the Catskills, we have successfully secured a nice, large and new house in the heart of the Poconos in Pennsylvania. Here are the basics:

WHO -We have a smaller group than in years past. Suds and Sarms, Anju and Justin and the Virginia Todis will all not be with us this Christmas at the house. On the plus side, Mr. and Mrs. Martin and Holly and new husband Dylan will probably be able to join us for the first2 days! They have opted to stay locally for whatever amount of time they can be there for. Additionally, Naveen tells me that Nandini may or may not be able to join us, but hopefully she is able to as well :)

WHAT -As described on the HomeAway site, the house was built in 2016, and has the following:

- 8 bedrooms, each with a wall-mounted flat screen TV with cable
- pool table, poker table, wet bar, shuffle board table in the game room
- Fully equipped kitchen with all cookware
- Campfire pit outside
- Very close to Jack Frost and Big Boulder ski resorts
- Other local attractions - casinos, indoor water parks

WHEN -Arrive Thursday, December 22 and check out on Monday, December 26

WHERE -The address is 58 Wood St Lake Harmony, PA 18624. It is within a 3 hour drive for all of us, except of coursefor those coming from Michigan or Phoenix.

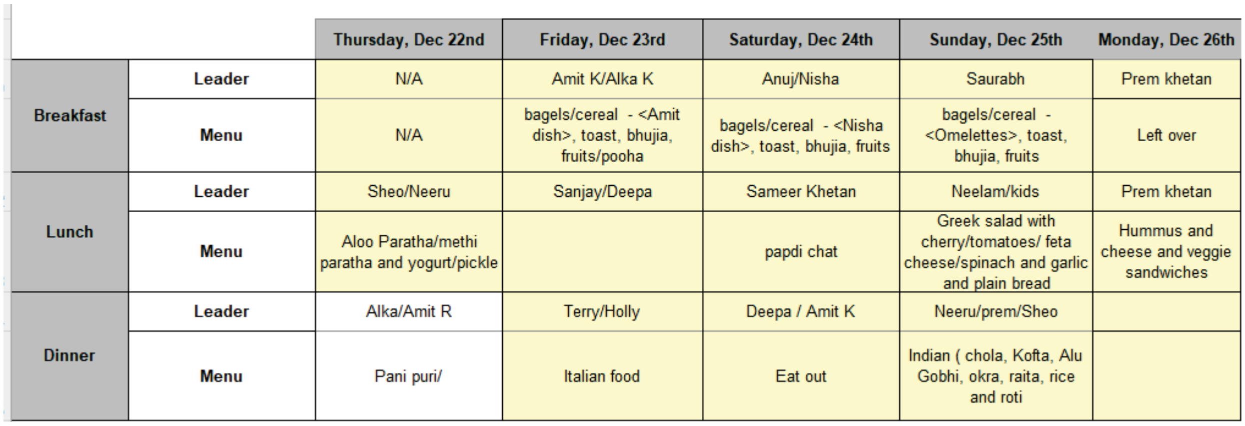
As mentioned above, there are 8 bedrooms, comprising a total of 14 beds. 6 of the 8 bedroomshave aqueen sized bed. The other 2 bedrooms eachhave 4 beds in them. The 4 beds are made up of 2 setsof bunk beds, with 3 of the beds beingtwin sized, and the 4thbeing a fullsized bed.With 7 married couples and 6 private rooms,1 couple will not get a private room. I spoke to Nisha, and she offered herself and Anuj to be the one to share a room. Therefore, I propose the rooms to be assigned like this:

Room 1 (foundation floor)- QUEEN- Sheo and Nirmala
Room 2 (foundation floor)- QUEEN - Raghunath and Prem
Room 3 (1st floor)- QUEEN - Alka and Amit
Room 4 (1st floor)- QUEEN - Mohit and Sonal
Room 5 (2nd floor) -QUEEN - Sanjay, Deepa and Jaiden
Room 6 (2nd floor master) - QUEEN - Amit, Vidya and Sonia
Room 7 (2nd floor):

- FULL - Nisha and Anuj
- TWIN 1 - Naveen
- TWIN 2 - Saurabh
- TWIN 3 - Sameer

Room 8 (2nd floor):

- FULL - Neelam Didi
- TWIN 1 - Simran
- TWIN 2 - Saira
- TWIN 3 - Deven

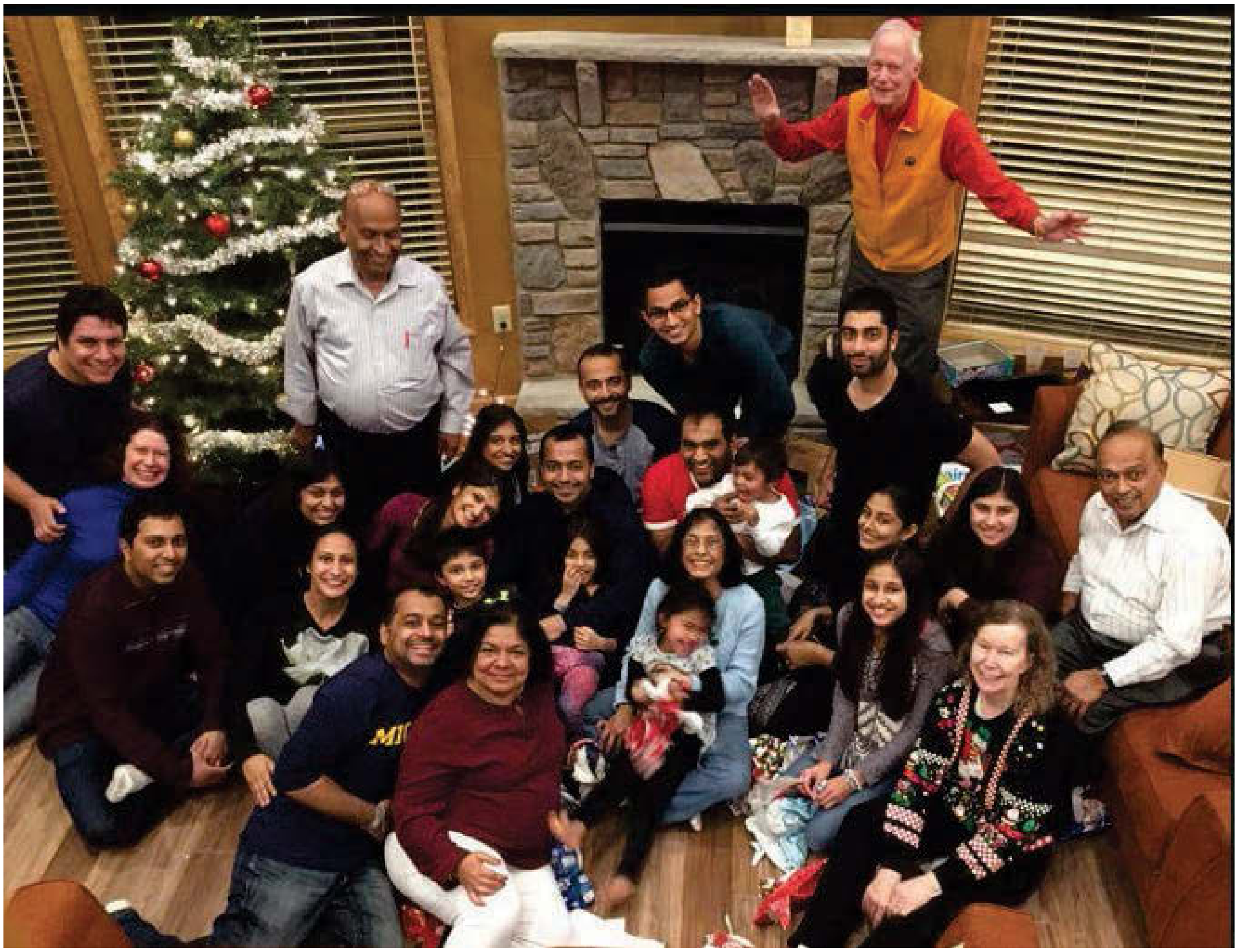


		Thursday, Dec 22nd	Friday, Dec 23rd	Saturday, Dec 24th	Sunday, Dec 25th	Monday, Dec 26th
Breakfast	**Leader**	N/A	Amit K/Alka K	Anuj/Nisha	Saurabh	Prem khetan
	Menu	N/A	bagels/cereal - <Amit dish>, toast, bhujia, fruits/pooha	bagels/cereal - <Nisha dish>, toast, bhujia, fruits	bagels/cereal - <Omelettes>, toast, bhujia, fruits	Left over
Lunch	**Leader**	Sheo/Neeru	Sanjay/Deepa	Sameer Khetan	Neelam/kids	Prem khetan
	Menu	Aloo Paratha/methi paratha and yogurt/pickle		papdi chat	Greek salad with cherry/tomatoes/ feta cheese/spinach and garlic and plain bread	Hummus and cheese and veggie sandwiches
Dinner	**Leader**	Alka/Amit R	Terry/Holly	Deepa / Amit K	Neeru/prem/Sheo	
	Menu	Pani puri/	Italian food	Eat out	Indian (chola, Kofta, Alu Gobhi, okra, raita, rice and roti	

Vidya found an indoor water park “Split rock Resort” where one day all The party-goers to have fun and enjoy

12/22 Sanjay came home and took us to Lake Harmony , Pennsylvania , where the whole family gathered for Christmas celebrations

The whole family gathered in the Christmas home in Lake Harmony



Standing Jack Martin

1st row Dylon Martin. Raghunath Khetan. Nisha, Saurabh. Anuj, Naveen

2nd row Holly Martin, Alka, Neelam, Sameer, Amit Khetan with Jaiden in lap, Vidya, Simran and Sheo,

3rd row Amit Raghvan, Deepa, Pradeep, Nandini, Prem Bhabhi with Sonya, Saira, and Terry Martin

4th row Sanjay with mom (Nirmala)

Deepa, Alka, Amit Raghavan, Anuj with Jaiden in lap

Sanjay, Saurabh and Jaiden in front; Deepa, Alka, Amit r, Anuj in row behind, Vidya, Amit K and Holly in the back

Saurabh sliding in
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Sanjay with jaiden and Amit with Sonya

Nisha with Anuj

2017

Sanjay , Deepa and Jaiden stayed in their Rye Brook home in NY. SJ was in the finance department of PEPSICO . Saurabh in Syracuse working for EATON. Sudhir and Sarmili were in Albany, Sudhir an Assistant Professor at Union College and Sarmilli a lawyer working for the firm of Cullen and Dykeman, Sameer was in Philadelphia in the Montrose Avenue House that he fixed (almost reconstructed) with 3 tenants. He was finishing his MS at Bryn Mawr College in Philadelphia

I and Neeru were in our Martinsville home, and Raghunath Bhaiyya and Prem Bhabhi at their Troy, Michigan home.

Alka and Amit R were in their rented apartment in Brooklyn, with Alka working for GAP and Amit doing his teaching job. Amit K was a full scaled executive at DE Shaw living in Connecticut home, with Vidya watching Sonya . Anju was a member of Khan Academy in San Francisco and Justine working for Kaplan

On January 7 it was the first yet powerful snowfall in New Jersey.

Sudhir and Sarmili came home on January 8 and stayed for mom's birthday on January 9th

Omvir' s son had his cancer relapsed and on January 12. We, Naresh and Mittal all went to visit him for that

On January 28, we all went to Naresh Bhagat's place for his deceased father who had expired a week ago

On February 5, we watched Superbowl at our home with Omvirs and Mittals. It was an exciting match with the New England Patriots' comeback win over Atlanta by 34-28 after being down in 1st half

2/11 All kids came home. We went to Maggiano's and talked about Sarmili' s Baby shower party

Neeru's leg pain treatment had started. The Dr had recommended 3 shots. 1st gel shot was on 2/21, 2nd and 3rd were on 2/27 and 3/6.Sanjay was here for the First shot on 2/21

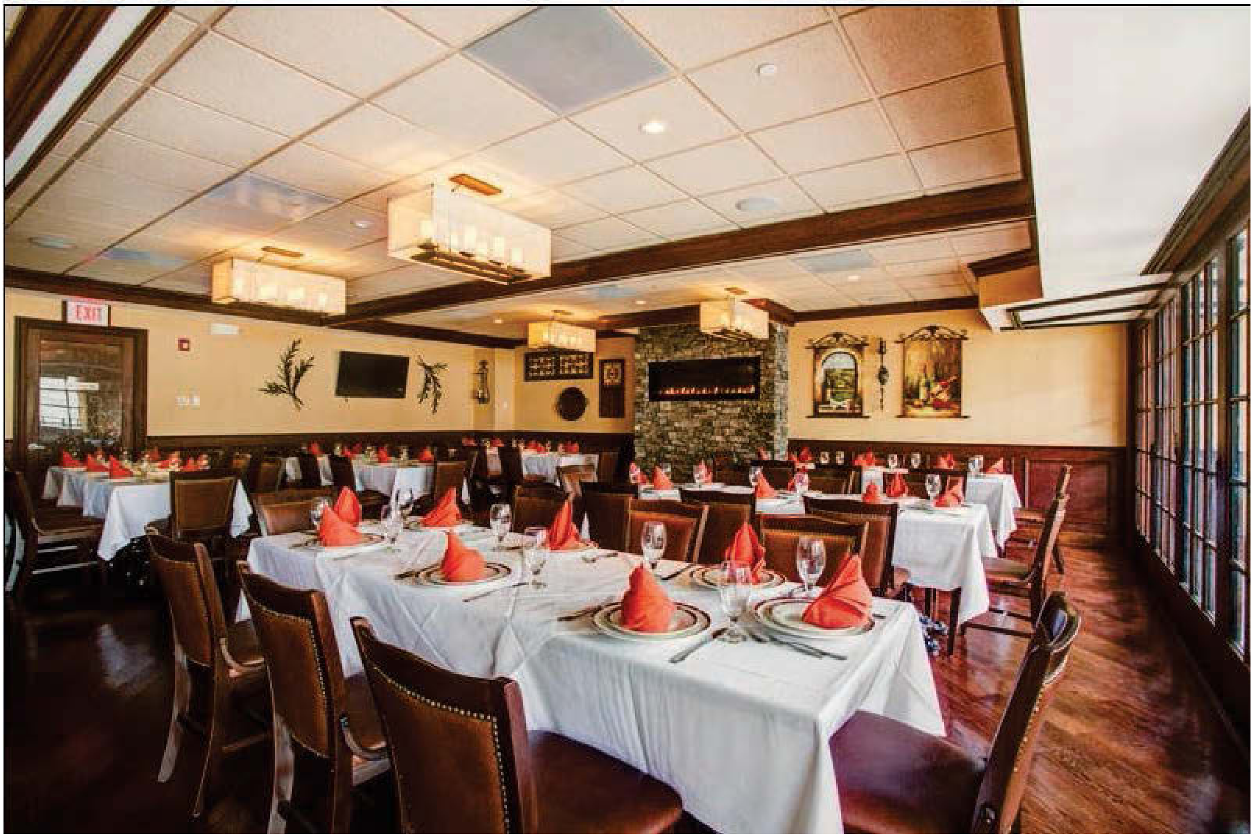
In the interim we were spending time in OTH/ Super OTH parties, Dr's Visits etc.

On 3/12/17 we had an OTH hosted party at Hoysala hosted by Manju Saxena

On 3/13 we had the biggest Snowfall of the year. ~8" snow fell.

On 3/18 we had a Baby shower party for Sarmili at the Ferraro restaurant in Westfield

The upstairs 'lounge' was available for a lunch party on Saturday 3/18 . Sarmili and Sudhir, both loved how the space looked; apparently it was very recently renovated. That was the space we chose for her party.



Ferraro Restaurant Westfield

SARMILI & SUDHIR'S BABY SHOWER
Saturday, March 18th at 12:00 PM
Ferraro's
14 Elm St, Westfield, NJ

The four-course family-style 'silver' menu attached (it says 'dinner' but it's the same plan)

The room also had a full bar - if we elected to we could have it be open and run a tab.

Payment schedule was pretty simple - $200 deposit to hold the date/space, which would go toward the final balance.

The program

God bharai (baby shower)	**11am with immediate families**
Appetizers	**12pm arrival**
Bruschetta	
Roasted peppers and mozzarella or Caprese salad	
Seasonal grilled vegetables	
Main course	**1pm**
Rigatoni della Casa	
Ferraro's or House Salad	
Penne a la Vodka	
Eggplant Parm	
Veggie sides	
Games	**~130-2pm start time**
Dessert	**3pm**
Cake	
Indian sweet	
Tiramisu	
Cappucino and espresso?	$2 more/person

On the designated day 3/18, all whole party gang (except invitees) first came to our home

First , all ‘shower party goers’ …Dr. and Mrs Saha and Sarmila’s sisters gather in our family room

Same people gathering in our family room---another photo

Sarmili sitting in the Ferraro restaurant, ready for her ‘Shower’

Sarmili and Sudhir in Ferraro restaurant

Mom gives the gift to Sarmili

Sarmili looks up at Mom and says thank you

The two of Sumona’s boys with Jaiden

On 3/17 to 3/19 We had no heat in the house. The mechanic came and replaced the Motor

Sudhir and Sarmili had chosen Albany Medical Center for baby arrival! They had a full maternity medicine program and the most advanced Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU) in the area.

Sarmili will deliver via c-section in either the 36th (week of April 17) or 37th (week of April 24) week. It will definitely be on a weekday. The tentative plan was

Day 0 (c-section)

- For reasons that are easier discussed in person, Sarms and Sudhir thought that we wait for 1 day

Day 1

- Sameer picks up mom/dad from NJ and brings to Albany, meets Saurabh there

- Visit (probably briefly) with Sarms and baby, who may or may not be in the same room -

- Mom/Dad/Saurabh/Sameer, all stay overnight in Amsterdam, spend some time with Sahas!

Day 2

- Possibly stop by and visit the hospital depending on situation with Sarms and baby

- Saurabh takes mom/dad back to NJ (Sam will stay for maybe a couple days after to help with errands and moving some furniture around at home).

On 3/24/07 Aditya and Shreya shared their life-threatening experience in a visit to Tavang with us

while coming back from Tawang we were stuck in a blizzard and Later Indian Army rescued us.. along with 100 more tourists

And mummy papa’s car separated from our car.. So Aditya, me and my sister were together and in a different place

We were on the road.. in Arunachal Pradesh --Sela Pass which is at 14000 Feet height

There we saw a lot of snowfall and then blizzard

So roads were blocked and nothing was clearly visible

We were stuck inside car for sometime . Then we spotted and went into a small house.

We walked for 6 kms and 3 hours (8-11 PM) in snow to get to their trucks. From there they took us to their Camp

And there was no network. It was very difficult to contact anyone . Finally we contacted my relative who had contact in defense

Mummy Papa ‘s phone was also uncontactable

Our feet went numb

We were wearing normal shoes not proper boots

It was an unforgettable experience

I had been to tawang before but this experience was totally unforgettable

actually they were 2kms behind us when our cars got stuck and they went to other camp in a different direcrion. They had to walk for 1km. Even that was bad for them. But because we were at the highest point our only way was to go forward and hence we had to walk for 6kms (Aditya, me and my sister)

We got separated and spent night separately

The next afternoon when the things were fine, Then Mummy Papa started from there and came to our location

I mean in dark night, deep snow I never imagined, I never imagined. I barely walk for 1km..

Blizzard hit around 3pm in afternoon

Were took shelter around 3:30 pm in a nearby place and we were there till 8pm waiting for army

In that moment it was scary. We thought this was the end of our lives.. but then we finally reached the truck and reached the camp. Army officers took care of us and because relative had already called them we got very special treatment. So everything was fine after that

My jijaji is senior surgeon in Airforce .So he has lots of contacts

And he made all arrangements for us to spend the night there

I have tentative plans to come there in end of May. As soon as anything is finalized i will let u know

4/3 Sahil born to Vidya and Shreyasi on 4/27 in Amsterdam

5/6 Sanjay came home and we went to Lala's place and stayed overnite

5/12 Saurabh accepted EATON at Syracuse

4/1 clonidine patch replaced by pill

5/17 all SOTH (Stony Brook Over The Hill) people went to Bear Mount Park for picnic,

Here is the plan:

Meet AT----11am at Bear Mountain top

Braj-----chhole, cards and horse shoe game, drinks
Sheo-----rice & Mithai
Omvir----yogurt
Naresh---nuts (If not Dinesh?), bacci
Dinesh---Snacks, green pepper

Meena,Sushma, Jagwati, Pushpa and Neeru

Neeru, Sheo, Mittal Sushame, Meena, Naresh, Verma and sitting down Pushpa and Braj

5/20 we had a successful SCAAHMCC picnic at Division Street in Somerville.

Somerset County American Asian Heritage Month Celebration County was a cultural committee , Made up off local residents of various ethnic communities like Indian, Chinese, Singhalese, Japanese, Korean etc. Our task was to Asian Heritage month in April or May of each year. The festival consisted of display of cultural activities, food, song etc. Our task was to celebrate the culture of people from different countries throughout Asia

ASIAN-AMERICAN FESTIVAL
FOR PURCHASE
FREE ADMission!! ETHNIC FOOD!

Asian-American festival showing different stalls for food, art or handicraft purchasing

The display of Chinese Lion Dance

The display of Japanese Martial Arts

Indian dance

Save
Somerville Station

Hong Kong Umbrella Dance

Small girls doing Asian Dance

5/23 I got Diabetic shoes from Tony Grizzone, Orthotics/Prosthetics Laboratory, John F Kennedy rehabilitation Institute, 308 Talmadge Road, Edison

5/23 Shreya Khetan (Adityas's wife from Bombay) came to New Jersey, on her short assignment with Cognizant, here in Martinsville. We saw her on 5/24, picked her up and dropped her at Newark Airport for Detroit

We had gone to see her on 5/23. She was in a hotel, only 10 minutes from Edison, but difficult to find (specially without a GPS). The hotel is surrounded by all the highways 78, GSP, NYJ TPK, Route 9 and Route 1. After circling the area for 2 hours we came back as it was getting to be dark.

We met her 5/24/17. It took about 55 minutes, lost time ~15 minutes. So before her going to office we met for about ½ hour

She will be staying at Extended Stay Woodbridge room # 248.

I wrote an e-mail to my kids:

"On next Saturday she goes to Michigan

She should get her laptop today. Then you can skype her. Suds, certainly she would like to meet the other Shreya(shi)"
6/2 Shreya came here from Detroit and we dropped her to the hotel

On 5/31 we went to Amsterdam by public transport. Caught train from Metro park to New York, then New York to Amsterdam, We went to the hospital to see Shreyashi . Then we came back by the same train

Neeru with Shreyashi in her lap

TEAM Grandpa

Shreyashi in my lap

Getting spoiled with attention from Dada and Dadi!!

On June 7, our SOTH group had a Picnic at

Round Valley Recreation Area - North park area

Phone: 908-236-6355

1220 Lebanon-Stanton Road
Lebanon, New Jersey 08833-3115

The items assigned

Soda - Sheo should bring orange drink for his consumption only. There will be plenty water to drink. If anyone have different opinion about soda/ drink, please express.

Snack - I will bring hot snack to be consumed prior to lunch, not decided on what. Will be purchased item. I hope I can meet Dinesh/ sushma high standard of samosa and dhokla snack.

Sweet - I will bring sweet as well. Will be going to Indian store, so no problem

Roti - Sheo will bring 25 roti. Also hari mirch, salt, pepper.

Other items remain same as below -

Braj - cup (60), plates (40), napkins (100), spoons (40), hot black tea

Omvir / Jagwati - Subji, yogurt, ice, water, cooler, corn

Dinesh / Sushma- rice, pickles

Sheo - roti or prantha - 25.

Naresh/ Meena - Dal/rajma, nuts,

Ranjit - his presence

A couple of pictures (Ranjit could not make it)

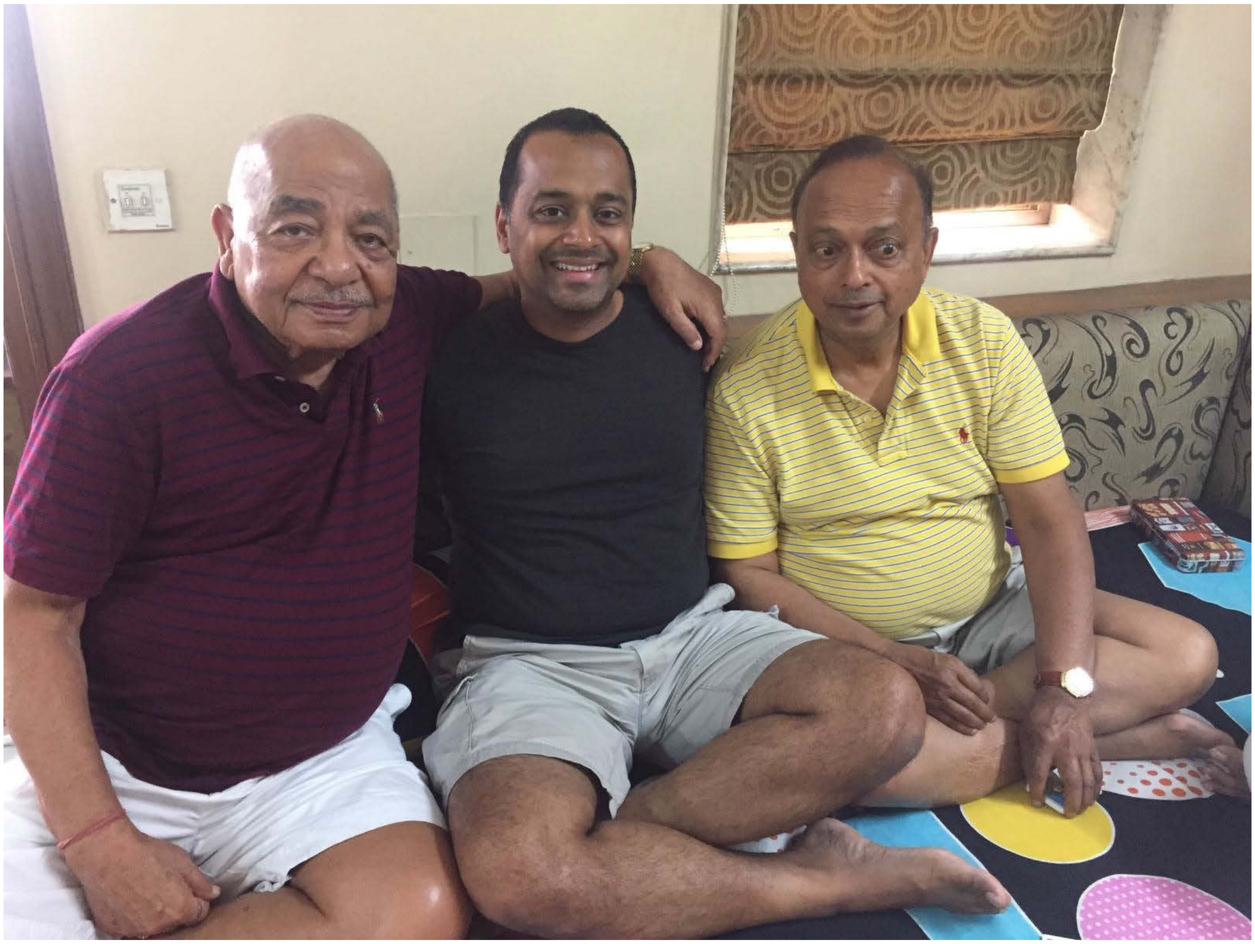
Naresh, Meena, Omvir, Jagwati. Sushama, Mittal, Pushpa ,Sheo and Neeru

Verma could not make it to picnic and Braj busy in photo taking

Same group except Naresh out taking photo and Braj in

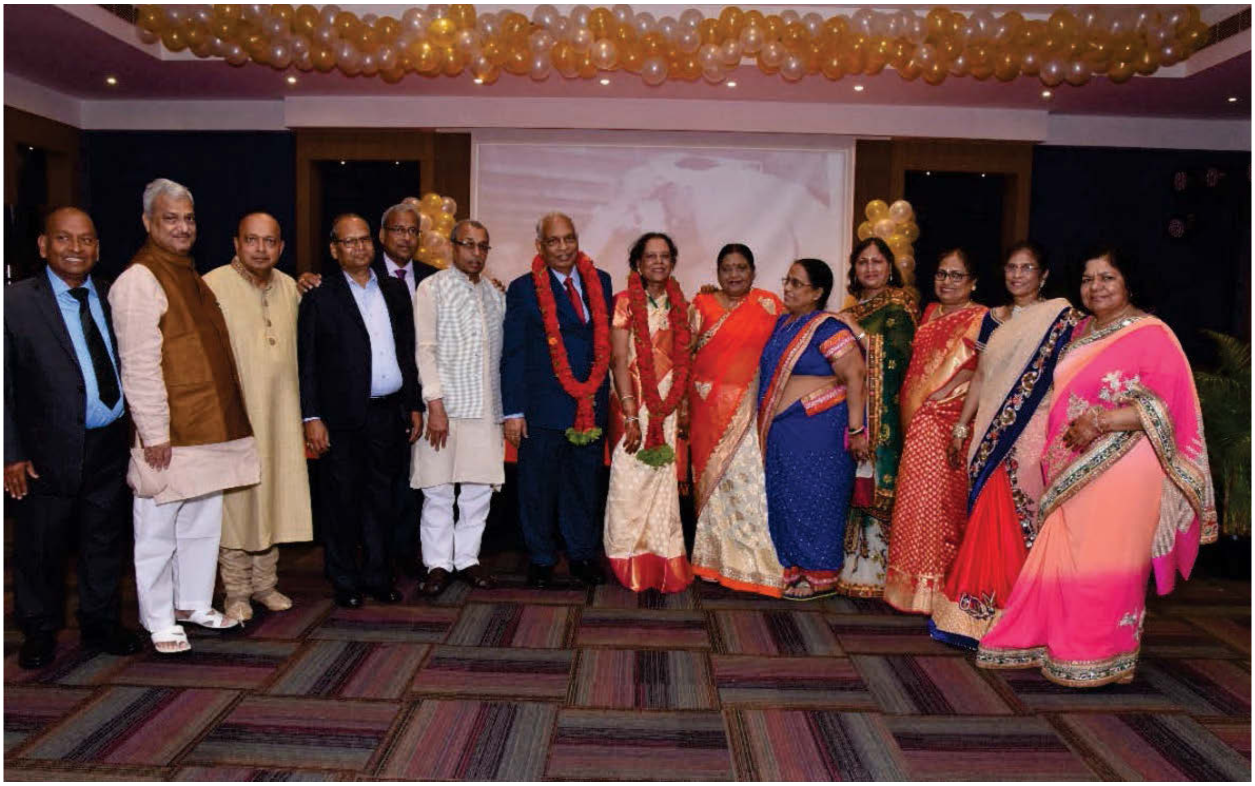
Naresh trying his hand with Bocce, Everyone watches

6/16 Sanjay went with us to India by Air-India for Bhaiyyaji's 50th anniversary party. First we landed in Kolkata, then went to Bengaluru and we stayed with babooji till 6/21. Here is a photo



6/18/17 we in Kolkata. 3 Generations together

Then went to Bangalore/ Coorg for Bhaiyyaji's 50th anniversary



Raghunath, Suresh, I, Pavan Sonthalia, Gopal, Shankar, Bhaiyyaji, Bhabhiji, Manju(???), Shanti, Manjari, Sharda, Prem, Neeru

Neeru and I watching the anniversary program

Youngsters from Khetan family……..Siddharth, Manish, Prashant, Sanjay, Prakash, Ritesh, Deepak and Aditya, Sitting Madhu and Jyoti

Bhaiyyaji , Sanjay and Bhabhiji

I, Bhaiyyaji, Sanjay, Bhabhiji and Neeru

The two loving Cousins-----Sanjay and Madhu

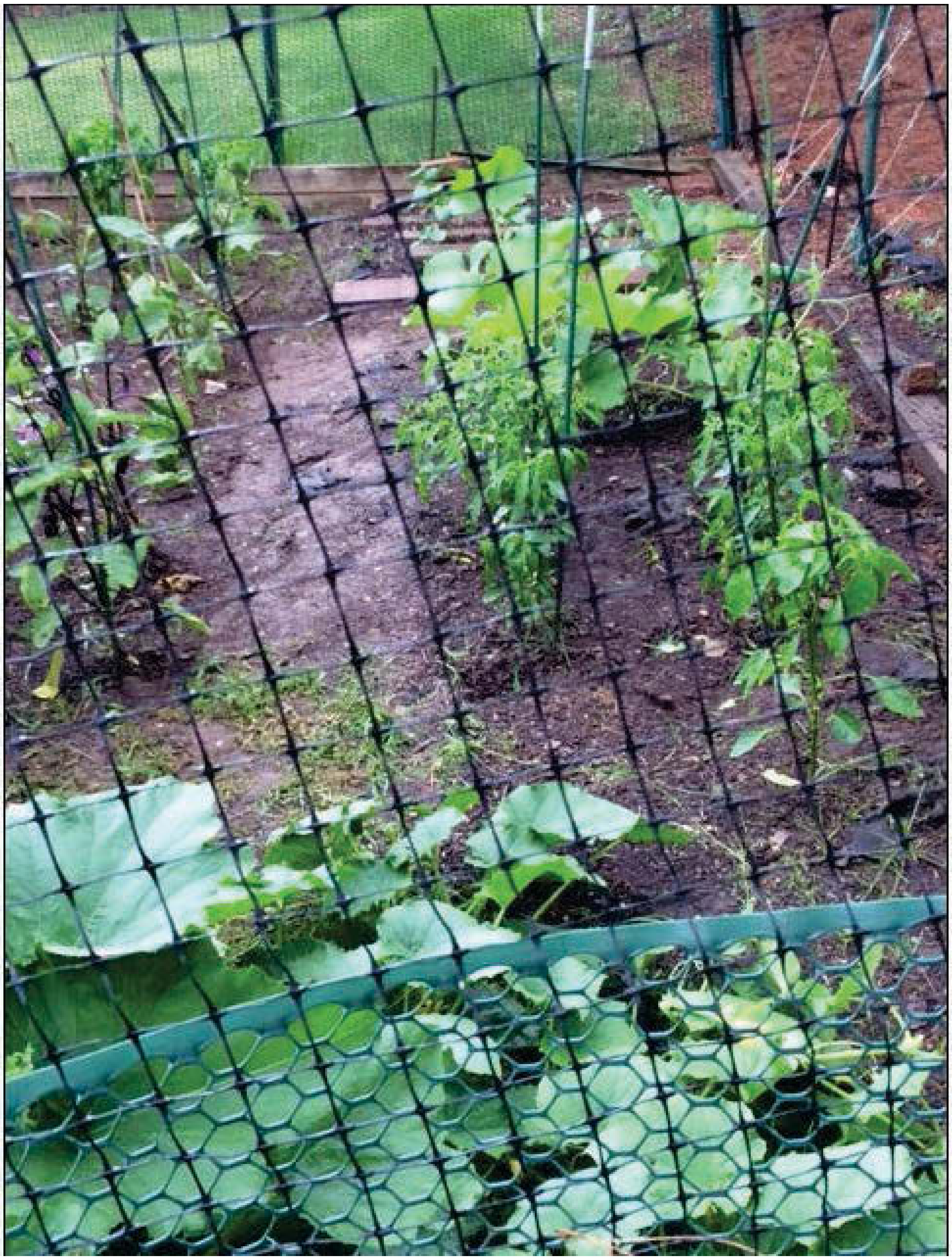
Neeru, Sanjay and I

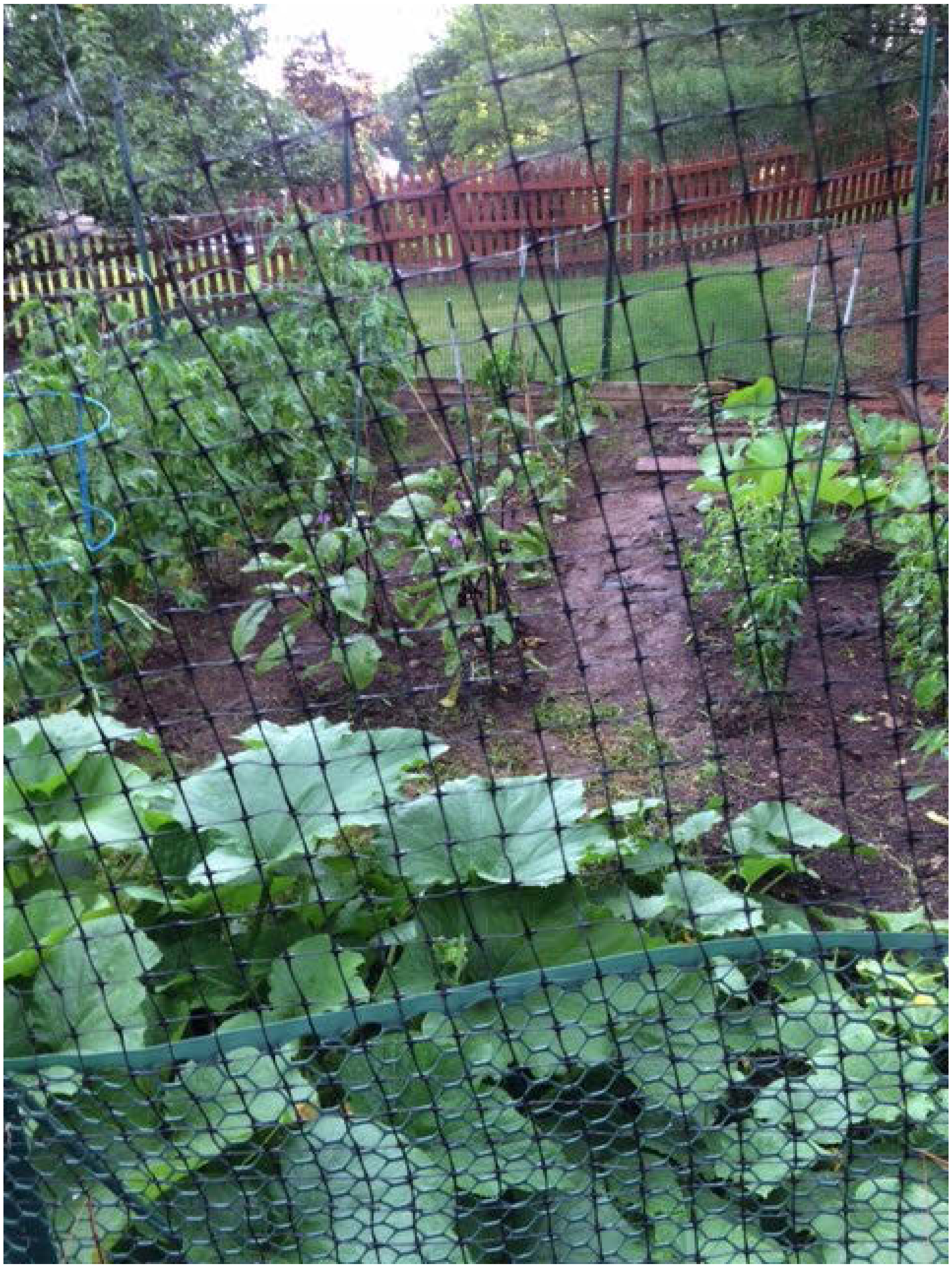
We Came back to USA on 6/26

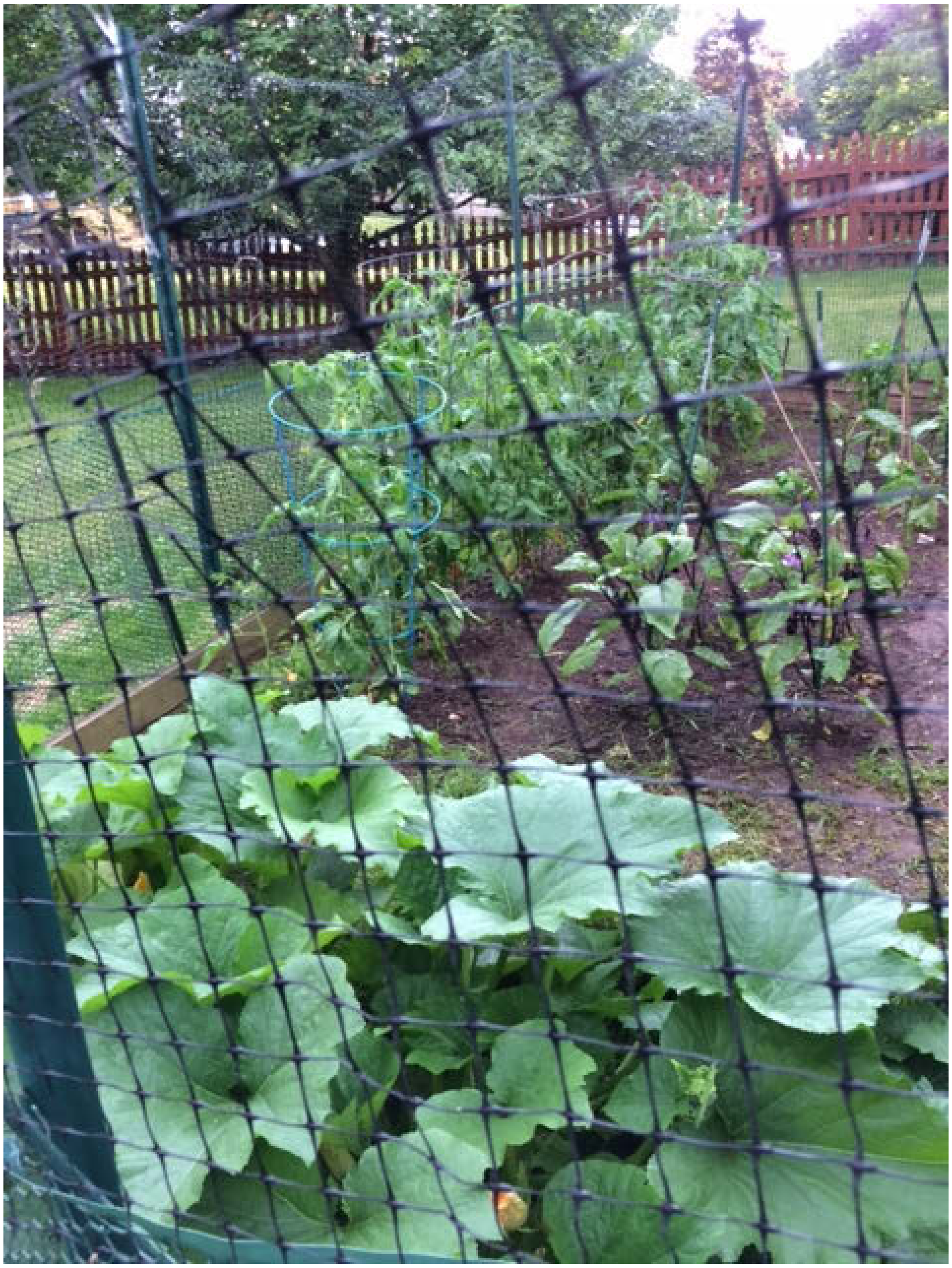
My PSA moved up to 2.75

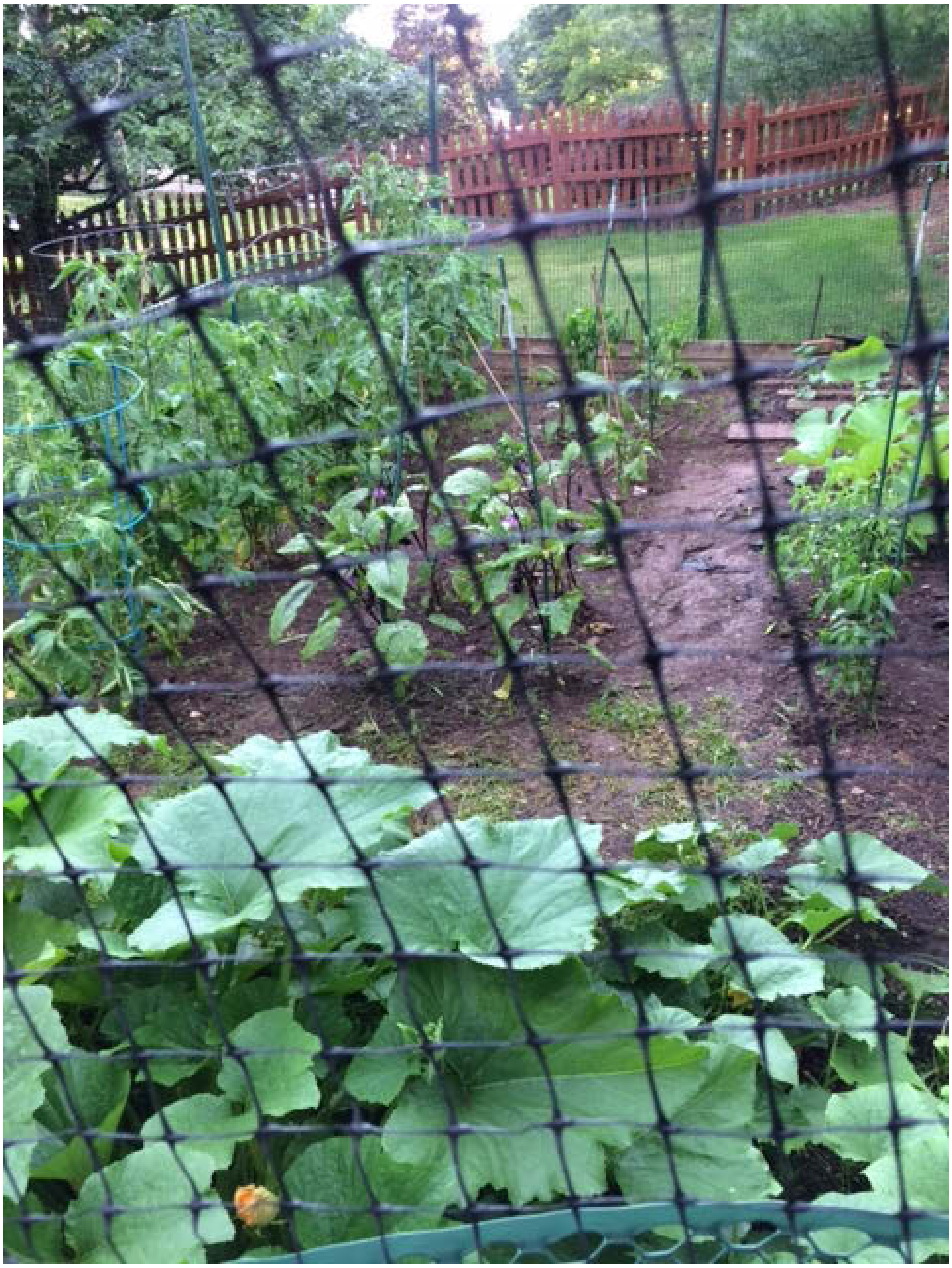
7/4/17 Just like every year our garden was flourishing. We had planteded the following vegetables in the garden

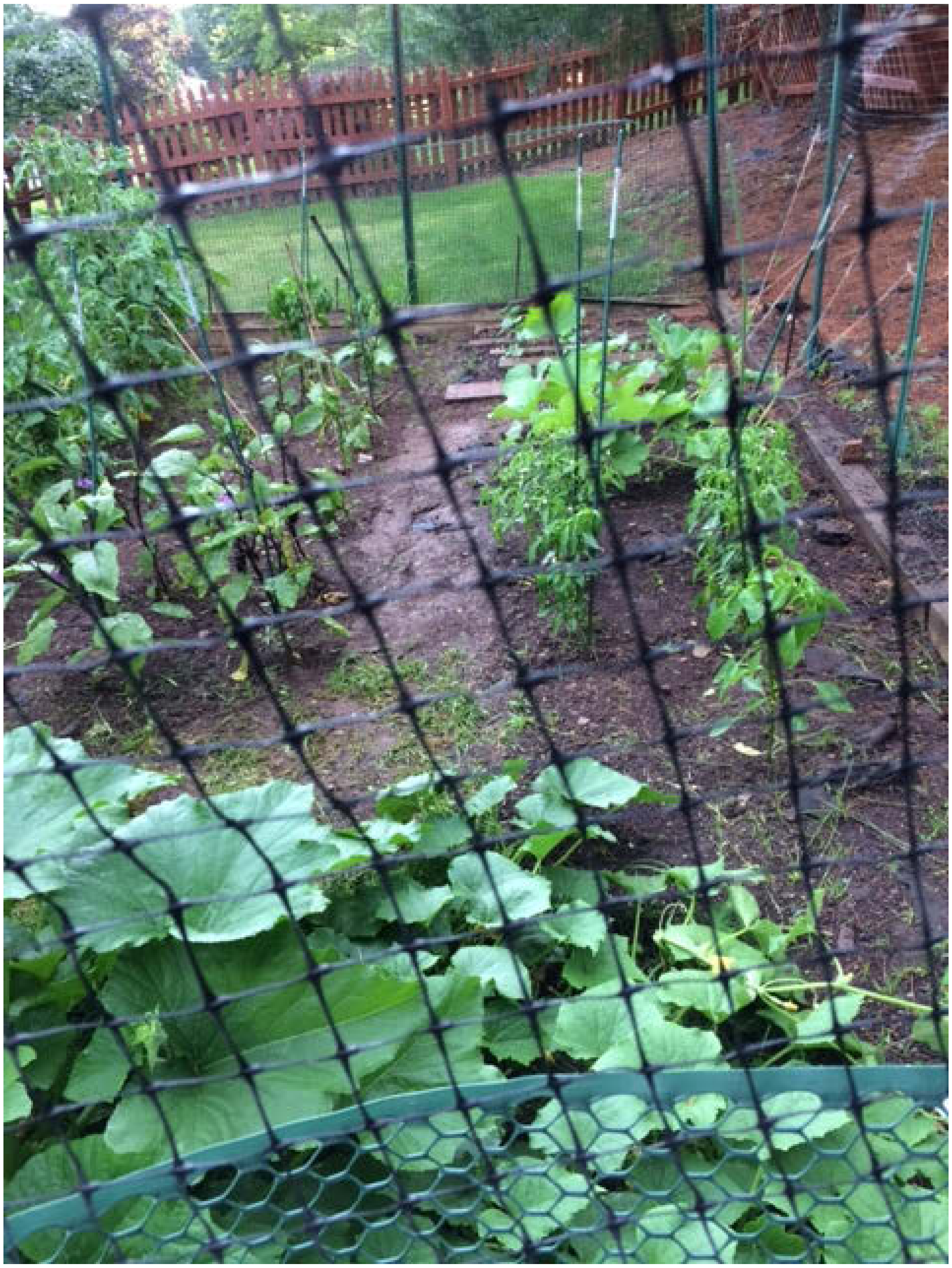
Tomato, Cucumber, Zucchini, Snake quash, Shimla Mirch, Regular Pepper, Eggplant, Okra

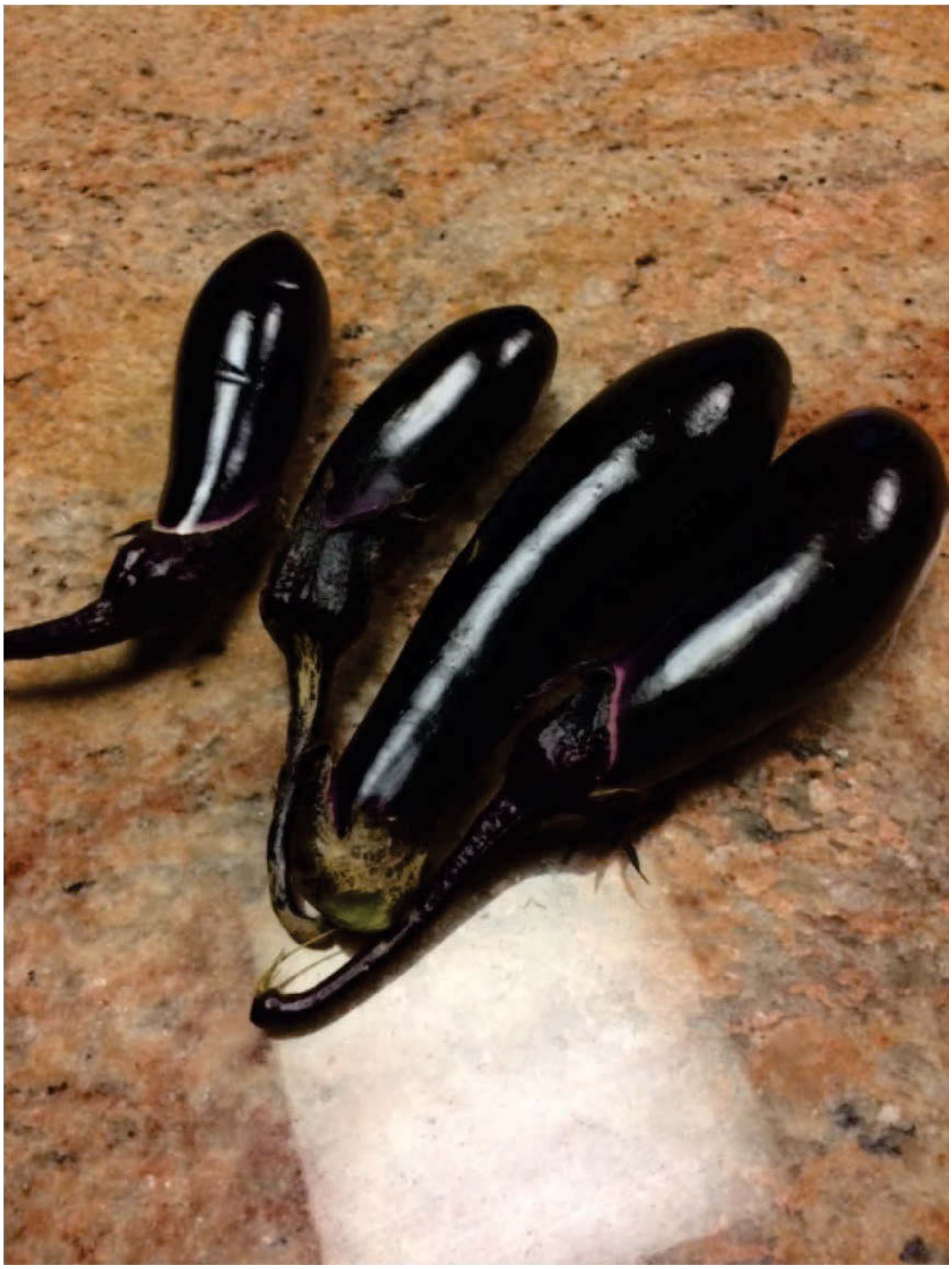






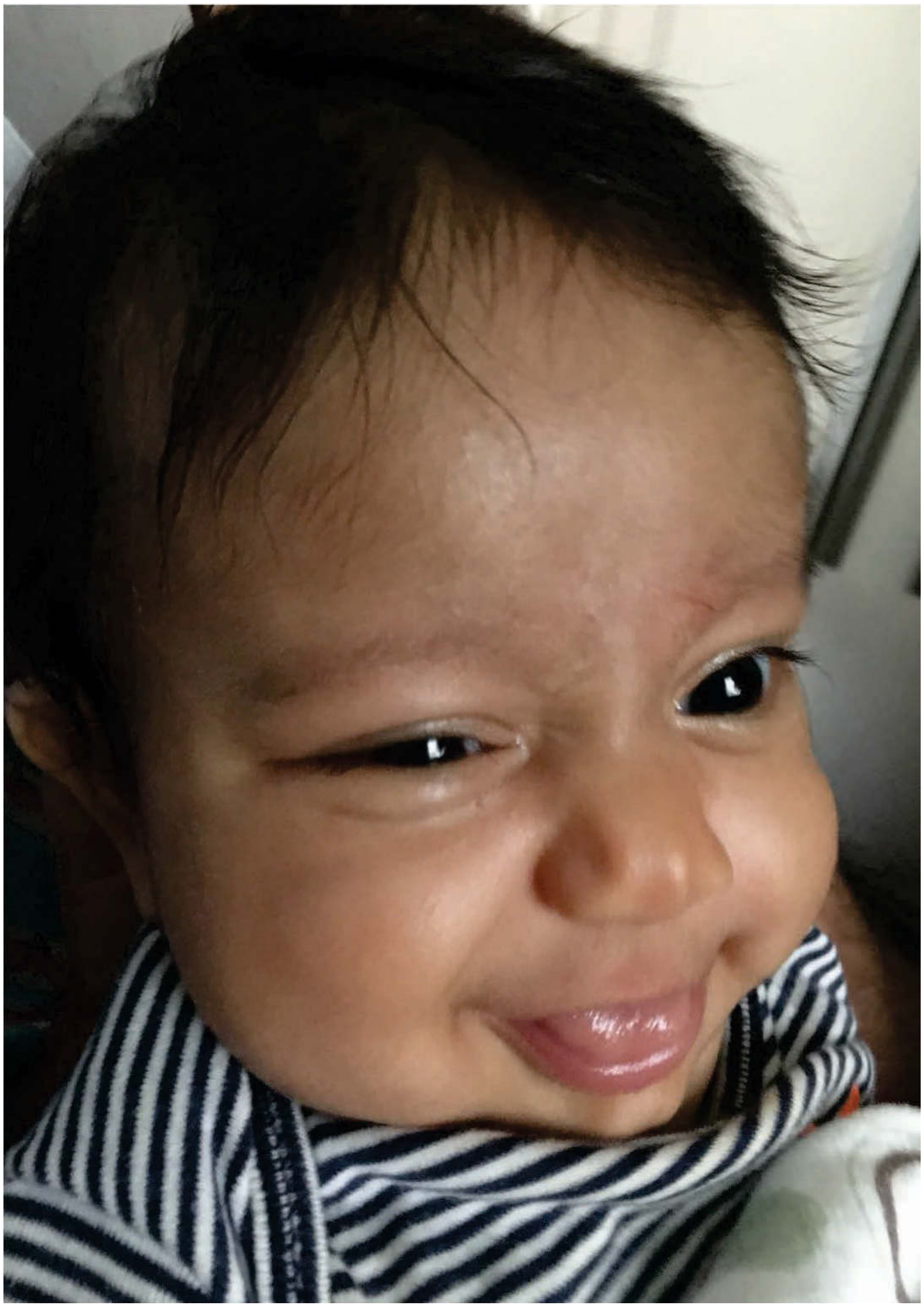






first crop of the year….Eggplants

In July 17 Sanjay moved to Chappaqua, bought it in March 2017



Shreyashi 0n 7/27….getting bigger

8/5/17 Several vegetables started getting riped

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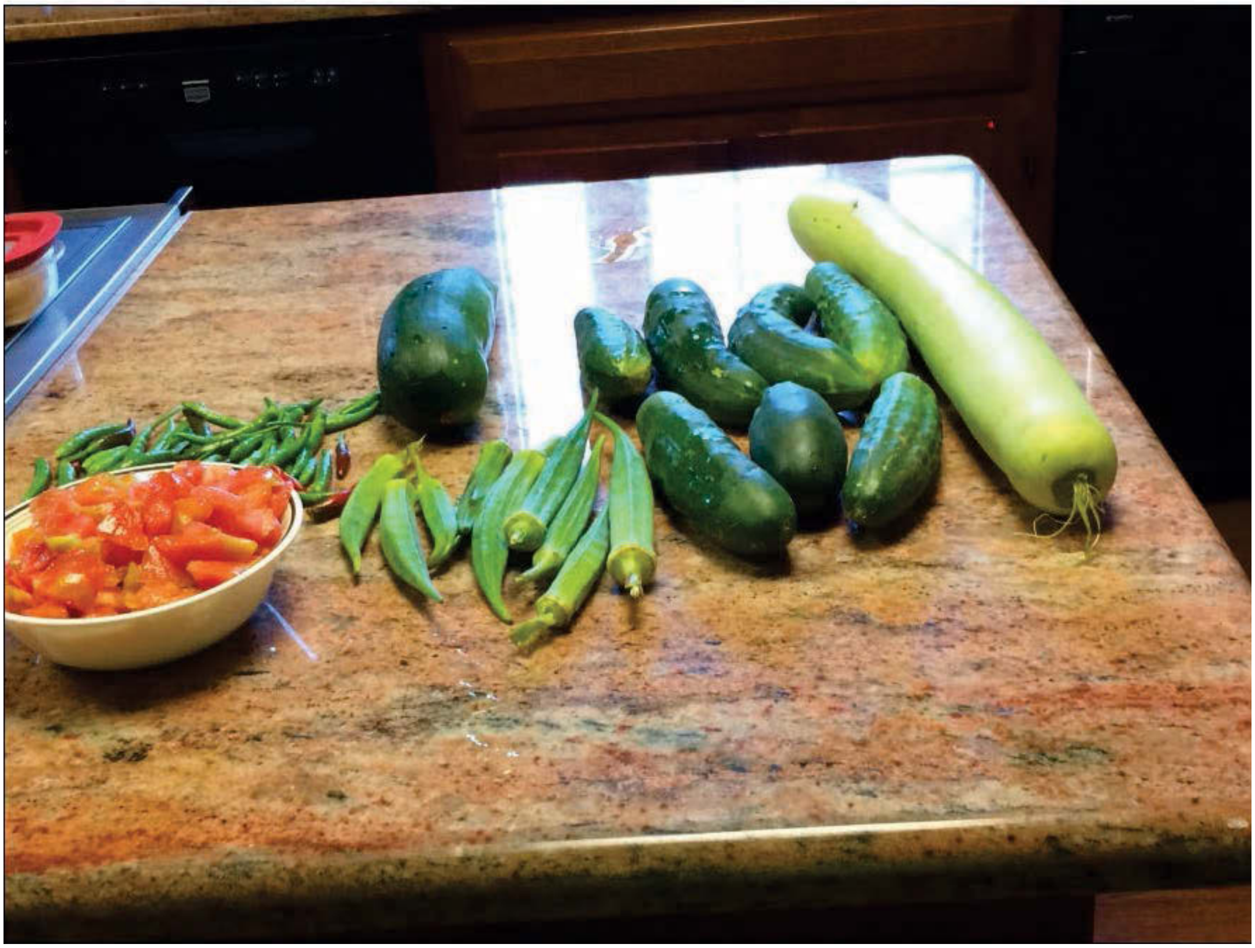
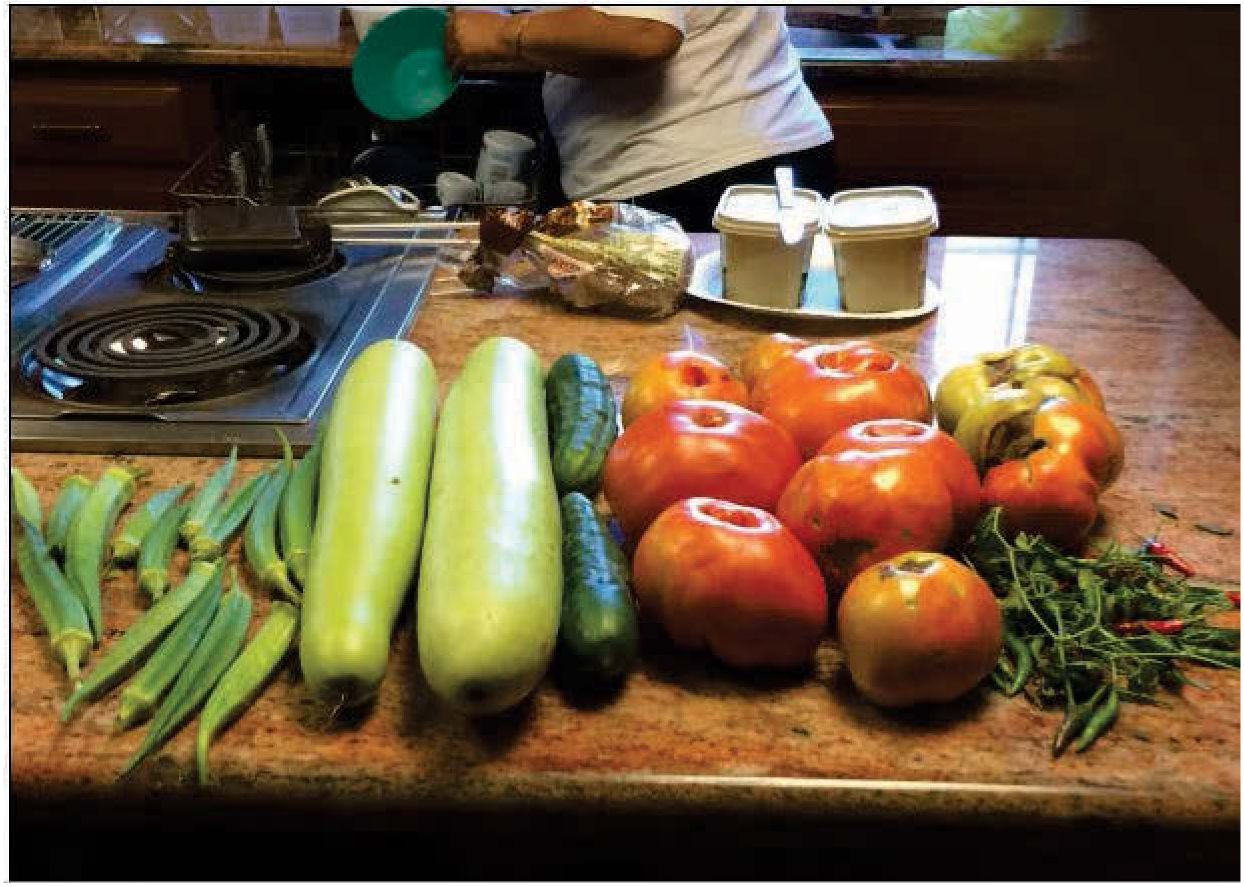


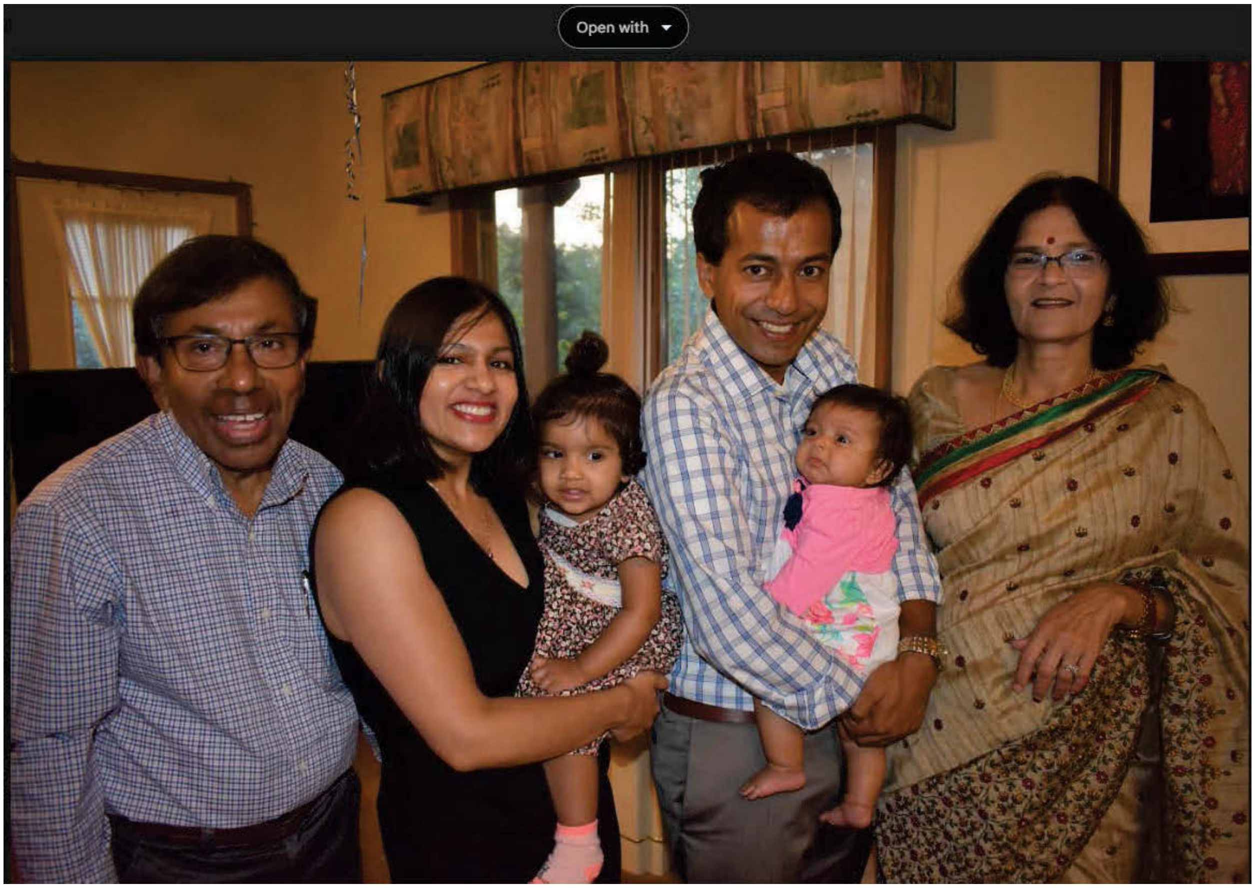
Tomato, Pepper, Zucchini, Okra, Cucumber, Snake Squash

Garden Yield



8/15/17 more garden yield

On 8/25 to 8/27 we had a party for Shreyashi at home. The whole family, Sahas, Sapan Saha, Alka/Amit, Amit/Vidya/Sonya/Sahil and Mahesh Baboo and Ashaji came and we had good time overall



Dr Saha, Sarmili with a niece in hand, Sudhir with Shreyashi, and Mrs. Basantee Saha

Vidya with Sahil, Sarmili with Shreyashi and Sudhir

Happy Home Coming
Shreyashi
and
Sahil

Cake for Shreyashi and Sahil

Asha Naniji, and Saurabh with Shreyashi in hand

I wrote on e mail

"Special thanks to Sameer for decorating the walls so beautifully

Thanks to Sanjay, Saurabh and Sudhir for taking care of foods

The only forgotten thing was Amit's (Sonya and Sahil's) gifts were not taken by them and

Raita and Fruits (during appetizers) were not served

And leftover cake was not picked up by anyone "

Omvir' s son Rakesh was suffering from cancer. Suddenly It became worse and Omvir and Jagwati had to go to California suddenly. There after a one month, his condition improved. He was eating well and pretty much independent at home. He expected to go back to work starting September 1. Omvir and Jagwati decided to be back soon after

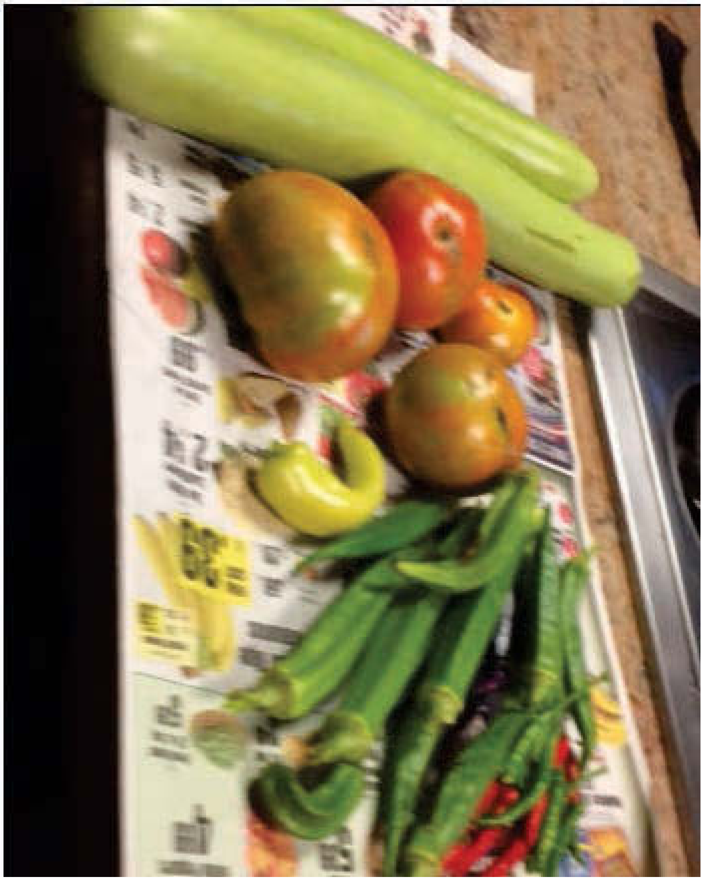
September 2017 we started playing Duplicate Bridge in local clubs with Ov Vir Singh

Saurabh accepted a job offer from his company in Syracuse! It was Product Line Manager for Controls & Apparatuses. It was a promotion over his existing role and came with a boost in salary and salary band, as well as control of a more lucrative product line. What was nice was that the bump in pay was effective immediately.

On 9/1 to 9/3 we went to Pennsylvania Temple to watch Saw Rafi program Qawwali by Riyaz and other Bollywood programs. It was a good outing

On 9/10 a food festival was held in Martinsville Inn to welcome the famous cook from India. The program was good with all the local restaurants had their sweets displayed there. Ravi Kapor was the chief guest.

I had a dysentery because of too much sweets



Last crop from the garden 9/4/17

9/17 we all went to Chappaqua for Rakhi ceremony. This time the plan was to show Raksha Bandhan ‘s importance to very young children (Sonia 4, Jaiden 3, Sahil <1, Shreyashi <1)

Alka tying the Rakhi to Sarmili

Anju tying Rakhi to Sudhir

Sonya and Jaiden, Sonya looks at the Rakhi with her Dadi, tor tying to Jaiden

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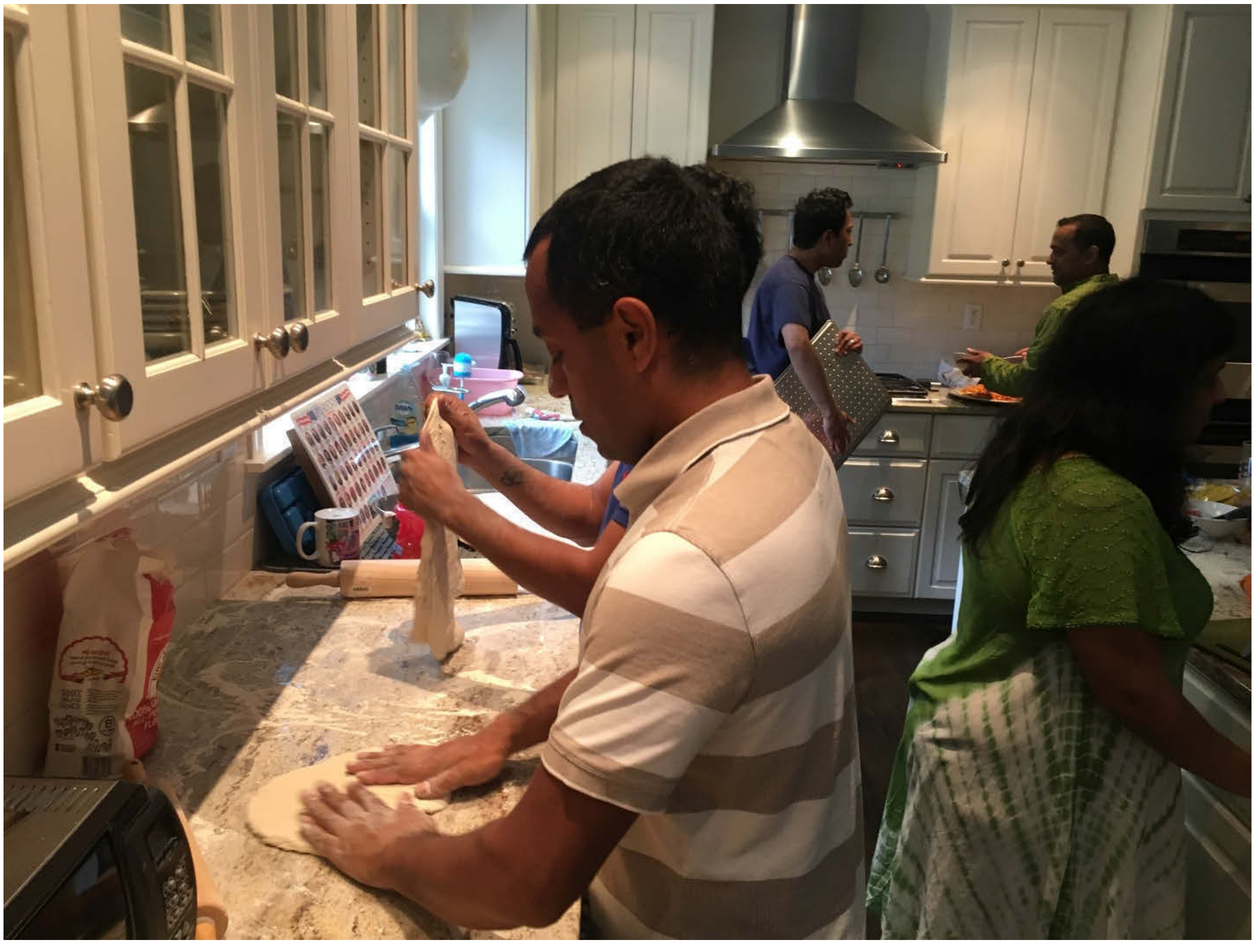
Raghunath Bhaiyya holding Sahil in his hands



Sudhir making pizza in the kitchen

Sonya feeding Jaiden the sweet

Sonya tying Rakhi to Jaiden as Deepa and I watch

Sonya, Deepa and Jaiden

On 9/22 Mark Ruffolo did all the windows panels which were rotting

On 9/25 to 10/4 we went to Toronto and Michigan trip with Dinesh Mittals. We visited Swaminarayan Temple in Toronto

Sushama, Meena, Habib , I and Neeru in the temple grounds

Swaminarayan Temple, Toronto

Next we went to Albany , where Sudhir and Sarmili did an Annaprashan ceremony for Shreyashi on 10/7/2017

Sarmili's elder sister Somana feeds Shreyashi

It is Sudhir’s turn to feed Shreyashi

Shreyashi with Sameer

Shreyashi’s Nanaji , Dr Shah holding Shreyashi

Dr Shah feeds ‘anna or rice made out of grains’ , the first of Shreyashi’s non milk food

Sarmili and Sudhir with Shreyashi in Dr Shah's lap

Sarmili and Sudhir with Shreyashi in their hands

The whole Shah family

The Khetan family except Deepa

On 10/11 we saw Dr David Bullek ,Orthopedic Surgeon about Neeru's knee pain. Advised that we should have knee operated in April, 2018. Neeru should go through a Total Knee Replacement for the first knee which should follow by another knee replacement. In November she should go through 3 gel shots to reduce the pain. The shots were scheduled for 11/1, 11/8 and 11/15

On 10/14 we had Naval visit us. We took him to Chand Palace, Martinsville for food testing. That day we were scheduled to go for Shiv Gupta's Diwali party. We went to Ajai Jain's place We went to Shiv Gupta's party and then came back to Jain's place. The next day we returned to our home

On 10/21 we went to Jaya Gupta's Diwali party with Ravi Jain and came back with Kicha Ganapathy

On 10/29 to 10/31 we went to Marriott in Galloway with Senior OTH gang. It had become an annual event at this time

Responsibilities/Schedule

Braj (No Charge)
Paper Plates/Paper Cups
Plastic Spoons
Paper Napkins (Paper towels are supplied by Marriott ,I believe)
Cards/Coins/Paper/Pen
HorseShoeGame----**Do we really need this...it is heavy and Naresh has Bacci???????**
Indoor Games
pithu--plastic building pieces/Ball
ZipLock Bags---22
Cardamom

Omvir
TeaBags-100 pack
Coffee
Milk-3 Gallons
Sugar

Naresh
Nuts (1 Container from Costco)
Apple + Other Fruits

Sheo
3 Bottles-2 litre sodas for pizza
24 Bottles-Water Bottles
Green Peppers (For Naresh)/Pickle**(Do we really need these since no in-house lunch-dinner??????)**

Dinesh
4 Pkt Namkin Snacks for afternoons (2 Pkt for each day)
4 Pkt Dhokla or equivalent for afternoons (2 pkt for each day)

4Pack Samosas (4x8=32) for afternoons (2 Pcks for each Day)
Ginger for Tea **(Dinesh, I have run out of Ginger; so you will need to get it)**

Arrival Time:10:30AM (Sunday)

Lunch On Sunday----**Buffet**-----Bombay India Restaurant, 3003 English Creek Ave, Egg Harbour Township, NJ 08234
Ph--609-646-4445 ....**Lunch Buffet Hours------11am to 3pm.....(We will have lunch between 12:30pm to 2:30pm)**

***Dinner on Sunday**---Pizza/Chipotle/Subway-**(To be decided Later)--- (we will have dinner between 7PM and 9PM)**

Monday BreakFast-----**Fresh Bagels+Cream Cheese**----Bagel Gourmet, 162A S. NewYork Road, Galloway, NJ 08205
Ph---609-748-1600--------6AM to 2PM **(I will go and bring the bagels)--(We will have breakfast between 6am and 8am)**

***Monday Lunch**---**(To be decided Later)--** Chipotle/Subway/Indian---**(We will have lunch between 12:30pm to 2:30pm)**

Monday Dinner----**Ordered----Pizza--Dominos---**609-646-8808, 782 White Horse Pike, Absecon, NJ 08201 **(7 to 9PM)**

Notes:
Ranjit is Unable to make it this time

On 11/1 we went to the presentation by Prudential at AKBAR with Dinesh Mittal and had our dinner

On 11/4 we went to Satya Agrawal's place for a NJ group party.

On 11/11 Mike Panther did the house painting

My A1C (7.9) and Cholesterol and BP continued to be good.

On 11/17 we went to see Dr Bullek's assistant Vivian Kahn to schedule the surgery for Neeru's knees

On 11/17 Neeru's phoofaji expired in India. He was the father of Sri Surendra Bagadia

On 12/15 first snowfall of the season happened

Saw Dr Choube, Neeru's Gynecologist advised us that Neeru needs a Hysteroscopy on 1/23

Just like prior years, this year the responsibility to search for a Christmas Home fell on Sanjay. He came up with a proposal for a nice place at Hilltop Mansion , Beach Lake Pennsylvania

The younger kids (Sonya, Jaiden, Shreyashi and Sahil) were the real stars of this vacation

THE LOGISTICS

- We had the house from Friday afternoon 12/22 until Tuesday morning, 12/26. Everyone on this email has committed to and is confirmed for all 4 nights (Simran/Saira/Deven will be joining for the evenings of 12/24 and 12/25 only)
- House address is 45 Castle Hill Road, Beach Lake, PA 18405 – approximately a 3 hour drive from every East Coast family location.
- Everyone will have a bed – either a separate room per couple/family or "sleeping cubicles" as set up by the homeowners for a few of the single folks
- Based on the bed types/locations of each bedroom, we have already pre-assigned individuals/families to rooms – I will send out this list and rationale for assignments separately. We will have signs on each bedroom door to ensure there is no confusion.
- If anyone else joins (Alka/Amit, Raghavans, Himanshu, etc…) we will look into booking the guest house which provides for an additional 3 Bedrooms
- Please bring all personal toiletries including bath soap/shampoo – we will bring toilet paper / hand soap for all bathrooms. Linens and towels are provided but if you'd like feel free to pack extras….also don't forget a bathing suit if you are planning on using the indoor hot tub! Big Bear ski mountain is 30 min away so may be a good idea to pack/bring ski stuff if you're interested in going one day

THE FOOD

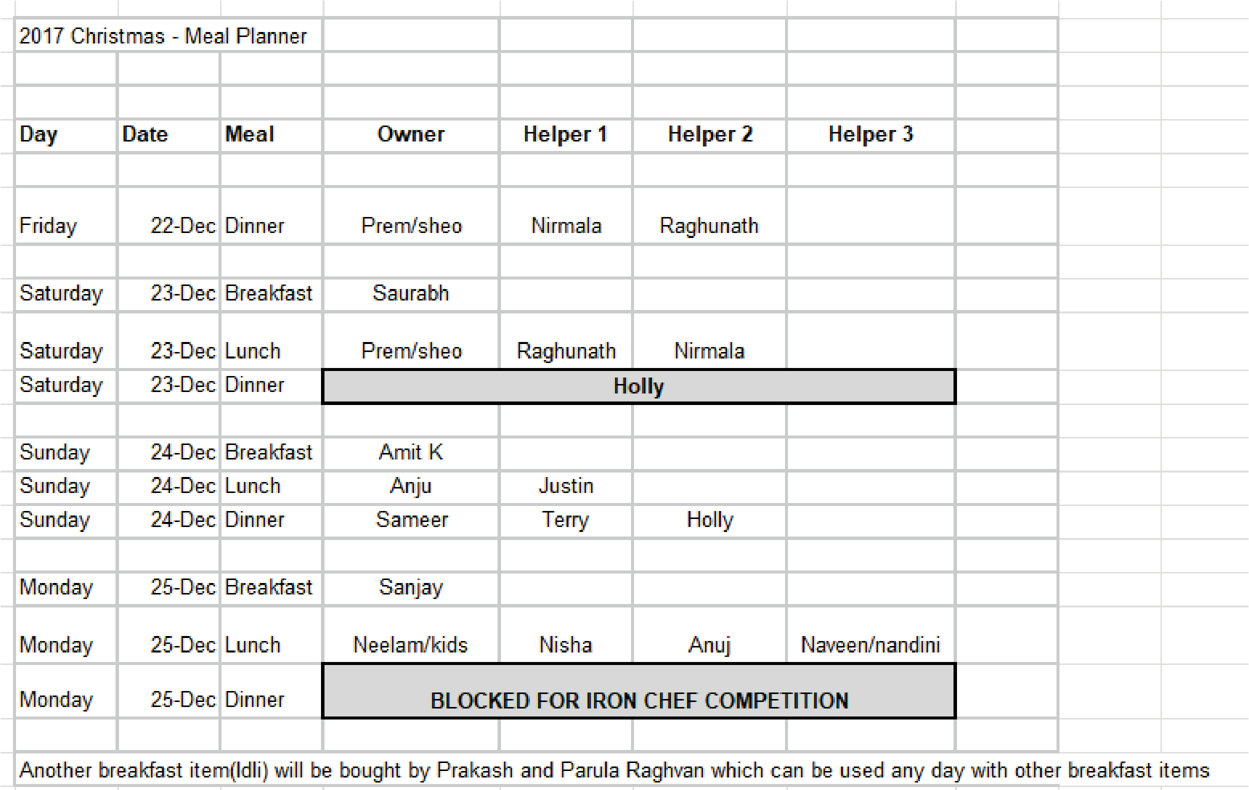
- Obviously the most important component of the trip, as always ☺
- There are 10 meals that need to be planned for / owned – Fri night dinner and 3 meals per day on Sat/Sun/Mon. We will have something quick (pizza/sandwiches) for Fri lunch/afternoon as people arrive, and Tue morning will be leftovers as everyone packs up to leave
  - ○ "Owning a meal" means doing all prep/cooking/cleaning for that meal. We'll assign "helpers" for each meal, but you will be responsible for all aspects other than grocery shopping
  - ○ Grocery shopping will be done in advance (see below) – if you are owning a meal please send me your required list of ingredients by Monday, 12/11. If your meal requires any special/unique/exotic ingredients, you will be responsible for bringing these items to the house
  - ○ We have chosen 2 nights for "special" dinners – one night out at a local restaurant (assuming all agree and want to do it!), and one night for an "Iron Chef" competition (see below)
- Given we will have 2 full kitchens at our disposal, Iron Chef is a must!
- Grocery shopping – Deepa and I will be in charge of creating the full shopping list, inclusive of all "common items" such as paper towels, dish soap, toilet paper, hand soap, etc. Once we have the list and

a better idea of which stores and the amount of time shopping may require, we may solicit help from some of you to divide and conquer

THE FUN

- White Elephant. Yes, we're doing it. $30 max. Christmas morning. Fair warning – silly gifts will be subject to ridicule (Sam, no one wants a framed photo of the creepy selfie under the red UV lighting of your in-bathroom greenhouse that you text us every two days)
- Kids' (Deven, Nandini, Sonya, Jaiden, Mackenzie, Sahil, Shreyashi) gifts – we absolutely don't want/expect every person/family to get a gift for each child. However since they won't be part of White Elephant we will come up with a nice way to make sure we can do a fun gift-giving for the younger ones….So far we're thinking maybe every person/couple/family randomly gets assigned 2 of the 7 kids….that way they get multiple gifts but everyone only has to buy 2
- We are randomly naming the following individuals as captains of the Fun Committee – Sam, Nisha, Amit R ☺ Your mission, should you choose to accept it (actually you don't have a choice), is to:
  - ○ Thoroughly research both the surrounding area and potential in-house activities and come up with a list of potential things to do….and be in charge of communicating any ideas that may require advanced booking (like the water park last year!)
  - ○ Draft committee members as you see fit
  - ○ Find a suitable restaurant for our one dinner out
- Just a reminder….the goal is not to "schedule" fun….fun at some level needs to be impromptu…..this way however we won't be starting from scratch when everyone's in a food coma one day and doesn't know what to do ☺
- Also remember there are a TON of fun activities/amenities in the house, including: a real movie theater (bring DVDs/Blu-rays/video games!), indoor hot tub, shuffleboard, air hockey, billiards, a gym, multiple flatscreen TVs, etc, etc, etc)

The food responsibility was as below



2017 Christmas - Meal Planner

Day	**Date**	**Meal**	**Owner**	**Helper 1**	**Helper 2**	**Helper 3**
Friday	22-Dec	Dinner	Prem/sheo	Nirmala	Raghunath	
Saturday	23-Dec	Breakfast	Saurabh			
Saturday	23-Dec	Lunch	Prem/sheo	Raghunath	Nirmala	
Saturday	23-Dec	Dinner	**Holly**			
Sunday	24-Dec	Breakfast	Amit K			
Sunday	24-Dec	Lunch	Anju	Justin		
Sunday	24-Dec	Dinner	Sameer	Terry	Holly	
Monday	25-Dec	Breakfast	Sanjay			
Monday	25-Dec	Lunch	Neelam/kids	Nisha	Anuj	Naveen/nandini
Monday	25-Dec	Dinner	BLOCKED FOR IRON CHEF COMPETITION			

Another breakfast item(Idli) will be bought by Prakash and Parula Raghvan which can be used any day with other breakfast items

Neeru

Neeru and Raghunath Bhaiyya in our (10 weaver Drive, Martinsville) kitchen getting all the stuff ready for the Christmas outing

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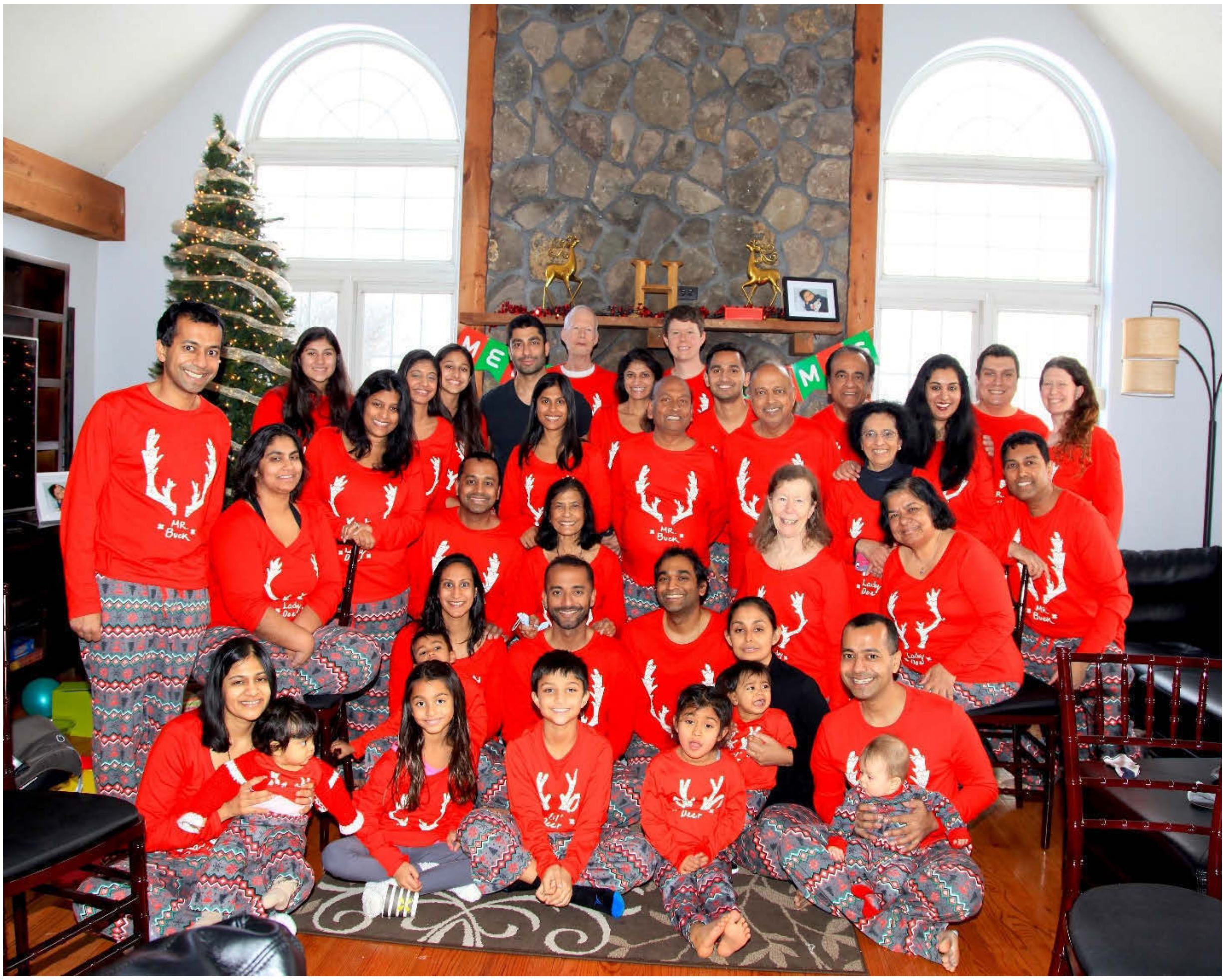
Getting ready for the outing---part 2, I getting ready by eating in the back



The whole gang , this time we had a group of 35 people
1st row (standing)w Sudhir,Simran Nisha, Saira, Naveen, Jack. Neelam, Justin, Anuj, Prakashji, Dylon
2nd row (standing) Rita, Alka, Anja, raghunath, Sheo, parula, Anisha,amit R
3d row (sitting) Sanjay, Prem, Terry, Neeru
4th row)sitting) Deepa with Jaiden, Saurabh. Amit K
5th row (sitting) Sarmili with Shreyashi, Nandini, Pradeep,Sonya, Vidya with Sahil, Sameer with Mckenzie

The Christmas house, Hilltop Mansion, Beach Lake, Pennsylvania

Jaiden impishly hiding behind a towel.

He was some 3.5 years old, beginning to talk and be a partner in funny talks with us. One of the games we played with him was to identify the color of the snow that was falling outside. We would never call it pure white. Our question to him was ‘what is the color of the snow’. To that he answered impishly, ‘it is blue, or could it be pink’. He will narrate all the colors he was familiar with, but would never say white. This was a lot of fun. Next year we would try this trick on him, but he had outgrown it

For people who didn’t get sick at all, there were 8, Sanjay, Amit, Anuj, Saurabh, Mackenzie, Sahil, Naveen, Nandini.

Rest were sickened---stomach flu. The person who got most sick was Sarmili, she was in the hospital for 2 days

Thanks Sanjay and Deepa for locating such a nice place for our Christmas outing

Thanks to everybody, this was a very enjoyable Christmas get together---in spite of almost 80% of the people falling sick due to stomach virus. Hope everyone is recovering from their ailments at home.

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Sanjay dropped us home ay 3:30 PM.om 12/26/17

Bhaiyyanee had gone to Jhunjhunu and sent an e-mail to us

“As informed earlier I had gone to Jhunjhunu on 11th December 2017 and I signed gift deed for donating our Haveli to shri Thakurji Laxminath Ji Trust , Jhunjhunu with a condition that this Haveli cannot be sold by them. The trust will maintain the Haveli for Charitable purpose forever.

I enclose herewith Gift Deed Documents for your reference.”

ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Sheo Khetan was born in Sitamarhi, Bihar in 1949. He did his BTech from IIT Kanpur. in 1970. He came to Stony Brook, NY in September 1970 and finished MS in Mechanical Engineering.

He then did MBA in finance and continued working in the Semiconductor industry for next 32 years. In 2005, he was downed by a stroke. It took 6 months to recover. Since then he turned to his original love, old Hindi movies. He has been married to Nirmala since 1976 and they have 4 boys, and 2 daughters-in-law and four grandchildren. Sons are Sanjay, Saurabh, Sameer and Sudhir. The two daughters-in-law are Deepa (Ms Sanjay) and Sarmili (Ms Sudhir).

His grandsons are Shaan, Krish, Jaiden, Dilan and Koushik (both Covid boys) and granddaughter is Shreyashi.

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